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AMENDED TARIFF BILL.

Subcommittee Reports the Revised Schedules.

NO RETROACTIVE CLAUSE.

Some of the More Important Changes Which Have Been Made In the Original Measure—Additions to Free List.

Washington, May 5.—Senator Aldrich presented the tariff bill to the senate and gave notice that it would be called up on Tuesday, the 18th inst.

The time for the bill to take effect is made July 1, 1897, instead of May 1, as provided in the house, and the words in the first paragraph, "or withdrawn for consumption" (retroactive clause), are stricken out.

The bill was reported to the surprise of senators and the public. When the senate finance committee met the idea prevailed that the bill would be held in committee for two days. All the members of the committee were present.

The Democrats examined the bill for nearly an hour, making running comments upon it. They announced that they were against the bill as a whole. They soon understood that Senator Jones of Nevada was going to vote with the Republicans, and realized there was no possibility of changing the bill.

They had no desire to make any factious opposition, and when a motion was made by the Republicans to report the bill at once the vote was taken promptly. All the Republicans, with Senator Jones of Nevada, voted for the motion and all the Democrats against it, the vote standing 6 to 5.

"It will raise revenue enough," was the comment of Senator Allison, assented to by Senator Aldrich. They estimated, however, that the increased revenue to be raised from beer would be $13,000,000, and from tea $10,000,000.

Many and important changes were made by the senate tariff subcommittee in the wool and woolen schedule as passed by the house. First-class wools were reduced from 11 cents per pound, as provided in the house bill, to 8 cents per pound, and second class wools from 12 to 9 cents, whereas the duties on wools of the third class were raised.

In the silk schedule paragraph 384 relating to goods in the piece is stricken out and an entirely new paragraph written in its place.

There are very radical changes in the schedule of earths, earthenware and glassware, some of the most important changes being transfers from ad valorem to specific or mixed rates.

The paragraph of the house bill which covers China porcelan, earthen, stone, crockery ware, etc., and puts the decorated at 60 per cent ad valorem and plain at 55 per cent is stricken out and another substituted.

The addition to hides to the dutiable list made necessary various changes in the bill concerning leather and articles made therefrom.

The rate on cattle importations is changed so as to provide for a duty of $4 per head on cattle not valued at more than $10, and $6 per head where the value is greater. The house bill made a uniform rate of $6.

The rates on rice were generally reduced, putting cleaned rice at 1½ cents per pound instead of 2 cents; uncleaned rice at eight-tenths of a cent, instead of 1¼ cents; rice flour one-fourth instead of one-half cent per pound.

Beans are reduced from 50 to 40 cents per bushel; hay from $4 to $3.50 a ton; hops from 15 to 12 cents per pound; dried peas changed from 1 cent per pound to 20 cents per bushel. Evergreen seedlings are added to the paragraph in regard to tree cuttings and made dutiable at $1.75 per thousand. Articles in this paragraph not specifically provided for are changed from 30 to 25 per cent ad valorem.

Potatoes are reduced from 25 to 20 cents per bushel; flaxseed or linseed from 30 to 25 cents per bushel, and seeds of all kinds not specifically provided for from 40 to 25 per cent ad valorem.

The paragraph in regard to fish, packed in oil or otherwise, is entirely changed and provides that anchovies, sardines, sprats, etc., packed in tin boxes or cans, shall be dutiable.

The following additions are made to the house free list: Benzoic, carbolic, oxalic, salicylic and valerianic acids, all fast black coal-tar dyes, argols or other cream tartars and lees crystals, crude bauxite, minilla twine, 600 feet to the pound, bolting cloths, composed of silk imported expressly for milling purposes; books, maps music, engravings, photographs, etchings and charts, printed more than 20 years before the date of importation; all hydrographic charts and scientific booksdevoted to charts and scientific books devoted to original research and publications issued for their subscribers by scientific and literary associations.

Silver Going Abroad.

New York, May 5.—The American liner St. Paul took 675,000 ounces of silver.

The Weather.

For West Virginia—Fair; northwesterly winds, becoming variable.

For Ohio—Fair; slowly rising temperature; northerly winds, becoming variable.

TRIED TO ESCAPE.

A Colored Tramp Sent to the City Work House.

HE DIDN'T LIKE TO WORK

And Knocked Some Boards Loose from His Prison, but Got Fast in the Improvised Exit—Young Boys Arrested.

A colored tramp, having one wooden leg, tried to escape from the city work house last evening, but being unable to get his lazy body through the exit he had made he was recaptured and is now in a cell at the police station.

The fellow belongs at Paulding, O., and was arrested Sunday by policeman Seeds for vagrancy and begging on the streets. He promised to leave town and was released, but he failed to keep his promise and last evening he was again locked up for drunkenness and for begging for money on the streets. The police endeavored to escort him to the corporation line and send him towards home, but he wouldn't go without being dragged out, and consequently, about 5 o'clock last evening, he was put to work on a stone pile in the city work house. He didn't take to work very kindly and after being alone awhile he took his hammer and knocked some of the boards off of the work house. He then tried to squeeze through the place, but got stuck, and was found in his uncomfortable position by some of the police. He was compelled to pull himself back into the prison, and later in the evening was locked up in the work house and provided with a bed. He then removed his wooden leg, knocked a door loose and tried a second time to escape, but was caught again, and found by Lieut. Wingate and sergeant Watts, who locked him in a cell in the police station.

STOLE COPPER WIRE.

Upon complaint of the superintendent of the Lima Street Railway Co., six young lads who gave their names as Dave Bruno, Roy McClain, Mike McCarty, Dan Murphy, Dan Joy and Adam Schick were arrested and locked up last night, charged with having sold to a junk dealer named Edsell a lot of heavy copper wire used by the railway company in connecting the circuit from one rail to another.

The boys are still prisoners at the police station.

LIKE SNOWBALLS.

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Mr. Motter objected to Mr. Mowen giving testimony in the case on the grounds that the uncounted ballots had not been delivered into the proper legal custody; that Mr. Mowen was not the proper custodian of such ballots.

Chairman Stephens said the committee had no authority to rule upon points of law, but requested the stenographer to note the objections upon the record.

Mr. Mowen said he had received sealed in an envelope, the disputed ballots from the fifth ward. Mr. Halfhill requested him to open the envelope.

Mr. Motter questioned the authority of Mr. Mowen to open the envelope, and objected to the envelope being opened by the witness, on the grounds again that he was not the legal custodian.

After considerable argument on both sides as to the authority of Mr. Mowen to open the envelope, Mr. Halfhill requested the witness to pass the envelope to the chairman of the committee. The envelope was handed to Mr. Stephens, and Mr Halfhill requested that he open it and to inspect the ballots together with the other members of the committee.

Mr. Motter again objected, and stated that the chairman of the committee had no more authority to open the ballots than Mr. Mowen. The envelope was sealed and addressed to George Feltz, Deputy Supervisor of Elections.

Mr. Stephens was at a loss to know how far the authority of the committee extended, and at his suggestion the five members retired to an anteroom to hold a consultation. They returned in about five minutes, and Mr. Stephens stated that they had decided that they would open the envelope if they could be shown that they had legal authority to do so.

Mr. Halfhill assured the committee that they would not be liable to arrest for any violation of the law.

Mr. Motter stated that he still contended that such proceeding was illegal but was willing for the committee to proceed according to their own judgment.

Mr. Stephens opened the envelope and emptied out the disputed ballots, fifteen in number, which were handed to the stenographer, who marked them separately as exhibits.

Of the fifteen ballots only eight have any bearing upon Mr. Kemper's contest. Four have no marks of any description that were made by the voters, and therefore there is no contest upon them. The other three ballots were counted for one or the other of the two candidates for council, but were contested as to the vote for assessor and not counted for either candidate for that office. Of the eight ballots upon which Mr. Kemper bases his contest, some have the names of some candidates marked out with a lead pencil, and the names of both candidates for council unmarked. Others have an X in the circle at the head of a party ticket and then crosses at the names of different candidates on other tickets.

After considerable time had been taken up by the committee examining the ballots, M. G. Harper, Republican, who was presiding judge of election in the Fifth ward, was called and stated that he had sealed the fifteen disputed ballots in the envelope and addressed the envelope to George Feltz. He identified the envelope, and also the ballots. Upon cross-examination, conducted by Mr. Motter, he said that there were three candidates for member of council from the Fifth ward—one candidate on the Democratic ticket, one on the Republican ticket, and one on the Liberty ticket. He also stated that he attested the returns, showing that Mr. Warner had been elected by receiving a majority of the votes cast for any one candidate.

City clerk, C. E. Lynch, was summoned with the tally sheet returned to him from the Fifth ward election, which was also submitted in evidence. Mr. Lynch stated that the contested ballots had not been sent to him with the election returns. He also identified the abstract of the recent election ballots, and stated upon cross-examination that he, in accordance with the result shown by the abstract, had issued to Mr. Warner a certificate of his election to the office of member of the city council from the Fifth ward.

After Mr. Lynch was excused Mr. Halfhill announced that he was ready to rest his client's case, and an adjournment was taken until 1:30 o'clock.

This afternoon prosecuting attorney J. C. Bidenour, who was an inspector in the Fifth ward at the election, was called by Mr. Motter. He identified the contested ballots that were not blank and stated by what particular marks, made by the voters, he remembered them. He stated that in his opinion all of the eight ballots that were protested in favor of Mr. Kemper were either illegal ballots, because the marks were not made or placed on the ticket in accordance with the election laws, or the intention of the voter was not apparent. At 2:20 o'clock this afternoon Mr. Bidenour was still upon the stand. The special committee will prepare the report for the city council immediately after the hearing is ended and they arrive at a conclusion.

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FIRE CAUSES A PANIC,

And Many People Are Burned and Crushed to Death.

AWFUL HOLOCAUST IN PARIS

While a Charitable Bazaar In Rue Jean-Goujon Is Crowded With People the Place Is Completely Burned Down.

Paris, May 5.—Fire broke out in a crowded charitable bazaar in the Rue Jean-Goujon, at which the Duchess d'Uzes and other well known patronesses were present. Many people were burned to death and there was a terrible panic, during which a number of persons were injured.

The police officials say they believe it to be certain that the number of deaths would exceed 100, recalling the terrible fire at the Opera Comique.

In spite of the efforts of the firemen some time elapsed before the charred bodies could be pulled from the smoking and burning mass of debris covering the spot, which but a short time before had been the scene of so much gaiety.

The missing who are supposed to be dead include General Meunier, the Marchioness de Galifet, the Duchess d'Alencon, the Countesses De Mun and St. Perier, the Marchioness De Flore, the Viscountess Hunol Holstein, Baroness Mackan, wife of the leader of the Pro-Raltists in the chamber of deputies, and Madame Morlaunelamon, her son and four daughters.

One hundred corpses have been laid out in the Palais d'L Industrie.

It is believed that another 100 are beneath the ruins.

The building was erected in the flimsiest manner, the nudity of the scaffolding inside being concealed by tapestry hangings of the most inflammable material. Moreover, there was only one exit.

The bazaar was in full swing when suddenly about 4 o'clock the cry of fire rose in the quarter where the kinemetograph was being exhibited.

One survivor said: "I can not describe the struggle for life which ensued. No words can depict the horror of the scene. It seems as I look back upon it like a hideous nightmare. The whole thing was over in 12 minutes, and nothing remained but the charred and blackened ruins of the bazaar."

The dead were piled in heaps, and especially near the exit, where the charred remains were five feet deep. In some cases only the trunks remained, with no vestige of clothing.

The firemen arrived at 6, and a company of infantry followed to clear the ruins and search for corpses. The news spread like wildfire.

All the cabinet ministers now in Paris went immediately to the scene. Hundreds of equipages streamed along the Champs d'Elyzes, their occupants with anxious and tear-stained faces inquiring for their relatives. There were many heartrending scenes of grief.

The building was constructed about six months ago. At the time it was remarked that it would burn like matchwood. The interior was divided into shops a la old Paris, constructed of prettily painted canvas.

The correspondent has had an interview with Miss Elsie Bushneck of Philadelphia, who, with the Misses Hawthorn and Dreher, was one of the few who escaped, although not unscratched.

"I was a saleswoman at booth No. 15, close to the place where the fire originated. I arrived at 4:10 with my friends. We went to my booth, where four nuns presided. In the booth were three blind girls working, one reading the blind alphabet, the other writing and the third making brushes. The lady presiding over that section of the bazaar told me I need not hurry, but that it would be all right if I came a little later. I started to look around the bazaar and stopped at a lottery wheel, where I won a bunch of asparagus. Just then, happening to turn round, I saw and called my friend's attention to a flicker in the corner of the wall about 15 yards away. Hardly had I done so when a gentleman behind me cried: 'Feu, Mesdames, sortez' (Fire, ladies, hasten out), and pushed me toward the door rather roughly, but fortunately for me.

"As this was my second experience under such circumstances, I advised my two friends to raise their skirts in the front so they would not stumble over them.

"We were just then stepping on the first of the three steps leading out of the building. Turning my head to look back, I saw the whole place in flames. At my left I caught a glimpse of an old lady emerging from an adjacent door and saw her stumble on her skirts. The next instant quite 20 persons piled on top of her. I crossed the street and turned round to face the fire, but already the heat was so intense that it scorched me. Out of the pile of persons who fell near the door none were saved. All were burned in a moment. Of the nuns at my booth two were saved, and one blind girl."

The managers of the Bazaar had arranged the stall so as to represent a street of old Paris.

The proceeds of the sales at each stall were devoted to a separate charity. The stalls were presided over by Mme. Fevreri, Mme. Macobs, Barojne Del La Lucette, the Marquise de St. Michel, the Duchesse d'Uzes, Mme. Mignotte, the Baronne de St. Idier, the Countess Dzalyanska, the Marquise Le Guestler, the Marquise di Argence, the Marquise de Petti, the Duchesse d'Alencon, a member of the royal family, Mme. d'Arlu, Mme. Boisseaux, the Barrone de Schickler, Mme. Morau, the Marquise Costa de Beauregard, her Royal Higness the Duchesse de Vendome, the Marquise de Maison and the Comtesse de Grefful.

Mlle. de Florez presided over the refreshment stand.

These ladies were assisted by many equally well known society ladies.

As a somewhat remarkable coincidence, the stall presided over by the Duchesst d'Uzes was "No. 13."

It is impossible as yet to identify the victims.

Ambulances are conveying the recovered bodies to the Palais de L'Industrie.

The bazaar was 300 feet long by 180 feet wide and constructed almost entirely of wood.

The Dowager Duchesse d'Uzes is one of the most prominent women in France and is said to have provided 3,000,000 francs for the propaganda of General Boulanger.

It is stated that General Meuiner has died of his injuries.

To the list of those dead must be added the following: Comtesse Humolstein, the Marquise Des Maisan, Mme. Ventimesnille, Mme. Hoskier, wife of the well known Russian banker, Mme. Poitevin, Mme. Jacques Hausmann and the daughter of M. Shevilly and Mlle. Mandat-Grancey.

GONE TO HIS REWARD.

Admiral Meade Dies From an Operation For Appendicitis.

Washington, May 5.—Admiral Meade (retired), United States navy, who has been ill in Washington for three weeks past, died at Dr. Johnson's private sanitarium.

There were present Drs. Johnson and Wales, Mrs. Meade and Miss Patterson, at whose house Admiral Meade was taken sick with the grip, which was afterward aggravated by appendicitis. An operation had to be performed, and from its effects the admiral failed to rally.

The funeral will be held at Miss Patterson's home, 1100 Vermont avenue,

ADMIRAL MEADE

and the interment with military honors will be at Arlington.

Admiral Meade was one of the best known officers of the modern navy, saw hard service during and after the civil war, and cruised in all parts of the world on important naval and diplomatic missions.

During the last administration he and the president had a serious disagreement, resulting from the admiral's criticism in an interview on the foreign policy of the administration.

No Law For Refunding Bonds.

Louisville, May 5.—Judge Toney handed down an opinion in relation to the recent issue of $508,000 of refunding bonds by the sinking fund. The decision is important to the holders of the 6 per cent bonds which the city seeks to replace with 4 per cent bonds. The court holds that the law of 1894 is unconstitutional and void and that there is no law in existence in Kentucky for the issue of refunding bonds.

Railway Surgeons.

Chicago, May 5.—The tenth annual convention of the National Association of Railway Surgeons began here. An address by Dr. F. J. Lutz of St. Louis, the president, was followed by reports of officers and reading of papers.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For May 4.

New York.

Beef—Family, $9 00@10 00; extra mess, $7 50@8 00; packed, $8 50@9 00. Cut meats—Pickled bellies, 5@5½c; pickled shoulders, 4¾@5c; pickled hams, 9@9½c. Lard—Western steam, $4 32½. Pork—Old mess, $8 75@9 50.

Butter—Western dairy, 8@13c; creamery, 14@21c; do factory, 8@12c. Cheese—State large, 9@12½c; small, 9@12½c; part skims, 5@8¾c; full skims, 2½@3c. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 10@10½c; western fresh, 9@10c.

Wheat—81⅛c. Corn—29¾c. Rye—36@36½c. Oats—22½c.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Prime, $5 10@5 25; good, $4 75@4 90; tidy butchers', $4 40@4 65; fair, $4 15@4 30; good heifers, $3 00@4 25; oxen, $2 00@4 10; bulls, stags and cows, $2 00@3 75.

Hogs—Prime medium, $4 15@4 20; best Yorkers, $4 10@4 15; common to fair Yorkers, $4 00@4 10; heavy, $4 00@4 10; pigs, $3 90@4 00.

Sheep—Choice, $4 35@4 40; good, $4 20@4 30; fair, $3 90@4 10; common, $3 00@3 65; choice yearlings, $5 00@5 25; common to good, $4 00@4 85; spring lambs, $5 00@7 00.

Chicago.

Hogs—Light, $3 80@4 00; mixed, $3 75@3 95; heavy, $3 45@3 92½; rough, $3 45@3 60.

Cattle—Beeves, $3 75@5 15; cows and heifers, $1 00@4 35; Texas steers, $3 20@4 30; stockers and feeders, $3 45@4 40.

Sheep—Weak and generally 10c lower.

Wheat—60½c. Corn—23⅝c. Oats—16⅝c. Rye—33c.

Buffalo.

Cattle—None on sale.

Sheep and Lambs—Lambs, choice clips, $5 00@5 10; sheep, $4 15@4 45.

Hogs—All grades, $4 15; pigs, $4 10@4 20; Yorkers, $4 20@4 30; medium and heavy, $4 10@4 15.

Veal Calves—Common to fair, $4 00@4 50; extra, $4 75.

Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 91c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 26½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 21@21½c. Rye—37@37½c.

Lard—$3 95. Bulk meats—$4 80@4 90. Bacon—$5 55@5 70.

Hogs—$3 60@4 05. Cattle—$3 65@4 75. Sheep—$4 00@4 85. Lambs—$4 00@5 65.

Baltimore.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 19@20c. Eggs—Fresh, 10c.

Toledo.

Wheat—91⅞c. Corn—24½c.

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ABOUT THE WAR.

An Officer In the Turkish Army Slanders Greek Soldiers.

Constantinople, May 5.—Mustapha Pasha, ex-commander at Janina has arrived here under escort, it is believed that he has been degraded and will be courtmartialed.

According to Edhem Pasha's report the Greek army consists, apart from mountaineers, of a mere congloomeration of plow boys, shop boys, brigands, pickpockets and everything except soldiers.

The porte has replied to the French, Russian and British embassies giving its consent to their proposal to protect the Greeks, but only during the period allowed for their departure. The porte adds that all treaties with Greece are suspended for the time being.

Captain Scriven of the American embassy at rome has arrived here enroute for Thessaly to watch the operations.

Conferred With the King.

Athens, May 5.—Ricotti Garibaldi has had a long conference with King George "who seemed more preoccupied with his position in the eyes of the powers than with the war." M. Ralli, the Greek premier, after suggesting that Ricotta Garibaldi should enroll Greeks among the Italian volunteers, now requests him to suspend the enrollment of Italians, leading to the belief that secret negotiations to end the war are proceeding.

No Officer to Succeed Vassos.

Athens, May 5.—It is now denied that an officer has been appointed to succeed Colonel Vassos in command of the Greek forces in Crete. This is interpreted here as a prelude to the recall of the Greek troops from the island and as proof of the conciliatory intentions of the new cabinet. Colonel Vassos has been appointed to succeed Colonel Manos, who has been in command of the Greek forces operating in Epirus.

Protracted Cabinet Meeting.

Athens, May 5.—The government sat till daybreak (Tuesday) hearing the reports of the ministers from the front, and finaly resolved to continue the war. General Smolenski has declined to accept the post of chief of staff of the crown prince, as he prefers to remain with his own brigade. The decision of the government is momentous, but it is difficult to say whether it is absolutely final.

Will Discourage the War.

London, May 5.—The Athens correspondent of The Daily Mail says the minister of war and of the interior have returned from Pharsalos and made their report to the cabinet. It is understood that as a result of their inquiry the war will be discontinued.

Changes In Greek Army.

Athens, May 5. — Ex-Minister Metaxas replaces General Macras and Major Constantinides has been recalled from Crete and appointed chief of Prince Constantine's staff.

Reserved Its Reply.

London, May 5.—The foreign ministers have tendered the intervention of the powers to Greece, but the government has reserved its reply.

Baby Screamed One Hour. One Doe Brought Smiles.

MASSILLON, O., Nov. 6, '95.—Hand Medicine Co.—"I cheerfully bear witness as to the virtues of Dr. Hands' Colic Cure. Our baby, now nearly four months old, suffered much from colic. After having screamed with pain for over an hour we came upon Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and gave her a dose of it. In five minutes after taking she is all smiles, and at night we all sleep. Mrs. F. L. Traphagen, 46 W. Charles St." All druggists 25c.

As Reported by the Papers.

"Is that a good hen, Uncle Josh?"

"A good hen?" said Uncle Josh. "Why, that 'ar hen lays eggs as big as hailstuns."—Detroit Free Press.

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A Bullish Tendency.

"It's a divil iv a coonthry," said Mulrooney, "phwere th' laws fer th' pretieshun iv th' poor is made for the binefit iv th' rich, an all th' prominint citizins is ailyuns."—Detroit News.

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SCHOOL MUDDLE SETTLED.

Public Commencement of Bellefontaine Schools Is Declared Off.

Bellefontaine, O., May 5.—The school board decided that owing to the large class of '97 they would depart from the usual order and instead of having the entire class of 23 take part in the commencement exercises only a partial representation would be made on the program.

Through fear of this partial representation the class resented the action and refused to abide by the board's decision, saying that unless all were given the same opportunity none would take part. The matter took serious shape and finally the class came to be divided upon the question, part being willing to abide by the board, but eight refused and would not be reconciled.

The community took sides and a most serious time was expected. The class threatened to have two commencements, but that idea has been nipped in the bud by the board's action.

They passed a resolution requiring each senior to write an original production of 500 words not later than May 26, and the diplomas will be presented to the class in room 8, east building, on Friday morning, May 28, by a representative of the board, and the annual commencement will be called off.

Truth in a Nutshell.

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Notes Instead of Cash.

Cincinnati, May 5.—The announcement is made that there are $142,000 of notes in the city treasury which have been counted all along as cash, and which incoming Treasurer Eshelby will probably refuse to accept from Treasurer Eigler.

Foraker Residence Rescued.

Cincinnati, May 5.—An attempt was made to burglarize Senator Foraker's house on Walnut Hills, but the burglars were frightened away. Officer John Kratz surprised the burglar at the back door and shot at him. The fellow escaped.

Foul Play Suspected.

Cleveland, May 5.—The finding of the body of R. E. Osborn of Detroit in the hull of a ship has created the suspicion that he was murdered.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Winners and Losers In the Great National Game—The Standing.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	8	1	.888
Philadelphia	8	2	.800
Cincinnati	6	2	.750
Louisville	5	2	.714
Pittsburg	4	2	.666
Cleveland	4	5	.444
New York	4	5	.444
Chicago	3	6	.333
Brooklyn	3	7	.300
Washington	2	6	.250
Boston	2	6	.250
St. Louis	2	7	.222

National League.

AT CHICAGO—		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0 4 0 0 0 1 0 0 *—	5	6	0
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—	2	6	1

Batteries—Callahan and Anson; Esper and McFarland. Umpire—O'Day.

AT WASHINGTON—		R.	H.	E.
Washington	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—	1	7	0
New York	2 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 *—	6	10	0

Batteries—King and McGuire; Doheny and Warner. Umpire—Lynch.

AT BROOKLYN—		R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—	1	5	1
Baltimore	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—	2	6	1

Batteries—Daub and Grim; Hoffer and Clark. Umpire—Hurst.

AT BOSTON—		R.	H.	E.
Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 4 1 *—	5	8	1
Philadelphia	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0—	2	11	0

Batteries—Klobedanz and Tenney; Fifield and Grady. Umpire—Emslie.

Western League.

At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 4; Kansas City, 14.

At Detroit—Detroit, 5; Indianapolis, 2.

At Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids, 9; Columbus, 11.

Interstate League.

At Toledo—Toledo, 6; Wheeling, 9.

At Dayton—Dayton, 6; Mansfield, 11.

At Fort Wayne—Fort Wayne, 3; Youngstown, 5.

Postponed.

At Cleveland—No game wet grounds.

At Pittsburg—No game; wet grounds.

At Springfield, O.—No game; muddy grounds.

Turf Winners.

At Nashville—Brazilian, Sweden, Sophronica, Sedan, Olly Gamin, Bob Neeley.

At Detroit—Don Campbell, Little Ben, King's Counsel, Sull Ross, Rolandis.

At Lexington—Rheinstrom, Adenis, Adelaid, Oxnard, Arctoros.

At Cincinnati—Harry Thoburn, Ora Lee, Bruin, Joe Clark, Imp, Blanton.

NOT HARMONIOUS.

The American League of Musicians Have a Lively Session.

Kansas City, May 5.—The first day's session of the American League of Musicians convention was an exciting one. Delegates sent by unions of the league, the charters of which were revoked on account of their affiliation with the American Federation of Labor, were denied admission.

The New York anti-union labor faction kept the other, or union labor faction, out of the convention, and then adopted a new constitution forever barring them out. The union labor faction will probably organize another convention and appeals to the court may ensue.

New Incorporations.

Columbus, O., May 5.—The Duhme Jewelry company, Cincinnati, capital stock $100,000; the Stark Electric Railway company, Waynesburg, capital stock $10,000; the Faulk Brothers company, East Liverpool, capital stock $12,000; the Damien Council, No. 180, Y. M. I., Cincinnati.

An A. P. A. Ruction.

St. Louis, May 5.—As a result of the trouble in the state organization of the American protective association, two conventions of that body will be held this year. One of them has opened here with 500 delegates and will elect delegates to the supreme council which which meets May 11 in Washington.

Deadly Alcohol.

Huntington, Ill., May 5. — Perry Kaufman, William Davis and John Drabenstott stole some alcohol from the drug store of E. E. Yoos and a few hours after swallowing the drug all three became violently sick. Kaufman and Davis died and Drabenstott is at the point of death. The drug they drank was found to be pyroxylic alcohol, a deadly poison intended for mechanical purposes only.

Differences Patched Up.

Memphis, May 5.—The differences between the management and riders of the Southern bicycle circuit, which threaten to disrupt the schedule, have been patched up, and racing will be continued next Friday night at the Coliseum with a 10-mile match between Zimmy McFarland of California and Jimmy Michael, the Welchman.

Five Anarchists Shot.

Barcelona, May 5.—Five of the anarchists convicted of participation in the bomb throwing outrage on June 7 last at the feast of Corpus Christi, were shot outside Fort Montjiuch. They shouted "Long live anarchy," just before the order of fire was given.

To Remain Neutral.

London, May 5.—A royal proclamation was gazetted enjoining on all British subjects strict neutrality in the war between Turkey and Greece.

Slow Demand For Wool.

Boston, May 5.—The wool market here this week shows a slow demand in domestic wools, but the large deliveries of previous sales of foreign wool makes the business of the week foot up large.

TO CURE NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA

To Gain Flesh, to Sleep Well, to Know What Appetite and Good Digestion Mean, Make a Test of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

INTERESTING EXPERIENCE OF AN INDIANAPOLIS GENTLEMAN.

No trouble is more common or more misunderstood than nervous dyspepsia. People having it think their nerves are to blame and are surprised that they are not cured by nerve and spring remedies; the real seat of the mischief is lost sight of; the stomach is the organ to be looked after.

Nervous dyspeptics often do not have any pain whatever in the stomach, nor perhaps any of the usual symptoms of stomach weakness. Nervous dyspepsia shows itself not in the stomach so much as in nearly every other organ; in some cases the heart palpitates and is irregular; in others the kidneys are affected; in others the bowels are constipated, with headaches; still others are troubled with loss of flesh and appetite, with accumulation of gas, sour risings and heartburn.

Mr. A. W. Sharper, of No. 61 Prospect St., Indianapolis, Ind., writes as follows: "A motive of pure gratitude prompts me to write these few lines regarding the new and valuable medicine, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I have been a sufferer from nervous dyspepsia for the last four years; have used various patent medicines and other remedies without any favorable result. They sometimes gave temporary relief until the effects of the medicine wore off. I attributed this to my sedentary habits, being a bookkeeper with little physical exercise, but I am glad to state that the tablets have overcome all these obstacles, for I have gained in flesh, sleep better, and am better in every way. The above is written not for notoriety, but is based on actual fact.

Respectfully yours,
A. W. SHARPER,
61 Prospect St., Indianapolis, Ind

It is safe to say that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure any stomach weakness or disease except cancer of stomach. They cure sour stomach, gas, loss of flesh and appetite, sleeplessness, palpitation, heartburn, constipation and headache.

Send for valuable little book on stomach diseases by addressing Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

All druggists sell full sized packages at 50 cents.

FRANK K. BUSHEY TALKS.

About a Subject Foreign to Barks. But It's None the Less Interesting.

We need not give the address of F. K. Bushey, the back owner, he is too well known to require any introduction to our readers and his statement is so positive of itself that anything added to it by way of comment could not strengthen it. He will be pleased to corroborate at a private interview anything he here expresses publicly. Don't be afraid to ask him his opinion. You will get it without fear or favor. Says he: "I have had bother with my back off and on for about two years. It would begin without any notice and I could hardly move out of a chair after having been sitting some time and my back would pain me with a dull aching that took all the energy and ambition from me. I read about Doan's Kidney Pills and thought I would try them and I procured a box at W. M. Melville's drug store, No. 147 north Main street. I must say that they did the business right away. I took but part of the box, but the lameness in the small of my back left me and I have no remains of that lingering pain in my kidneys. I consider them a thorough cure for backache and I can conscientiously recommend them. Doan's Kidney Pills are all right."

For sale by all dealers—price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 8617.

Ex. Doc. 9. Page 231.

Amos Young, Treasurer, Plaintiff, vs. J. M. O. Marble, Defendant. } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, MAY 8th, A. D. 1897,

between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number forty-four (44), old number sixteen (16), in James Downing's addition to the village of West Cairo, Allen county, Ohio.

Without appraisement.

Terms of sale—cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff,
Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, April 6, 1897.

Leland & Roby plaintiff's attorneys. daw

Legal Notice.

Elias Webb, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 19th day of April, A. D. 1897, Jessie Webb filed her petition in the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, being cause number 5461 praying for a divorce from said Elias Webb, on the ground of gross neglect of duty, and for such relief as is proper, and that said cause will be for hearing on and after six weeks notice. JESSE WEBB, Plaintiff.

Lima, Ohio, April 19th, 1897.

By Copeland & Rogers, her attorneys. 4 29-6t-tu

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Jeremiah Mowery, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Jeremiah Mowery, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 10th day of April, A. D. 1897.

DAVID STEPLETON, Administrator.

CINCINNATI HAMILTON & DAYTON RY.

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CINCINNATI INDIANAPOLIS CHICAGO DAYTON TOLEDO DETROIT

Excursions via C., H. & D R. R. Co.

Excursion to Nashville via C., H. & D. Ry.

For the Tennessee Exposition, which opened at Nashville May 1st, and continues until October 31st agents of the C., H. & D. Ry. will sell excursion tickets. Persons desiring to go to Nashville will be furnished full information regarding time of trains, etc., on application to agents of the C., H. & D. Ry.

Excursion to Chillicothe.

Agents of the C., H. & D. Railway in Ohio will sell tickets to Chillicothe and return, on account of the annual encampment G. A. R., Department of Ohio. Good going June 14, 15 and 16; good returning until June 19, at 1c per mile for the round trip, short line distance.

The C., H. & D. Railway

is now making very low rates to Nashville, Tenn., on account of the great exposition. Tickets good until November 7th to return, $18.45; tickets good to return 30 days from date, $13.55; tickets on sale every Tuesday and Thursdays, good to return 10 days from date, $9 85.

C. H. & D. Ry. Excursion to Columbus.

On account of High School Day, Ohio State University, agents of the C., H. & D. Ry. within 100 miles of Columbus, will sell tickets to Columbus and return at one fare for the round trip on May 21st, good returning up to and including May 22nd.

Excursion to Winona Lake, Warsaw, Ind.

For the General Assembly Presbyterian Church of the United States at Winona Lake Grounds, Warsaw, Ind., agents of the C., H. & D. Ry. will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip, May 17th to 25th, inclusive, good returning until June 5th, '97.

The C., H. & D. Ry. are delivering passengers regularly to the Norfolk & Western Railroad this line being again in position to handle the regular passenger business.

In Palace Sleeping Cars From Lake Michigan to the Potomac.

A new line of Pullman Sleepers between Chicago, Washington, D. C., and Baltimore via the "Queen City."

Are You Going to Travel This Summer?

If you have decided in the affirmative and wish to gather a comprehensive idea of the very best summer resorts in the northern United States, the great lake region and Canada, you can obtain satisfactory information by sending 4c in postage stamps to Mr. D. G. Edwards, Passenger Traffic Manager C., H. & D. Ry., Cincinnati, Ohio, who will in return, send you a copy of "A Michigan Romance," an attractive story by Stanley Waterloo, containing also full information about the summer resorts of the great north. The intelligent traveler will appreciate this work. The C., H. & D. Ry. have also under preparation another series of books for the coming summer.

Niagara Falls and return and to all other Eastern resorts at very low rates.

Sunday rate on the C., H. & D. R. R. will be one fare for the round trip to all points.

H. J. MCGUIRE, Ticket Agent.

A Remarkable Cure.

Mr. Alexander Moore, a reliable business man, of 1230 S. 13th St., Philadelphia, Pa., says: "I contracted a violent cold which settled all over me. The pain in my chest and side was excruciating. The doctor gave me medicine and blistered my side, but I only grew worse. Then you gave me a bottle of Brazilian Balm. I had little or no faith in it, but decided to try it. I took 3 or 4 good doses before bed time, and rubbed it well over my blistered side. That night I slept like a top—my first good rest for over a week—and awoke in the morning *cured*. Brazilian Balm is simply invaluable."

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"I want some more" OLIVER TWIST

Your ordinary oatmeal is lumpy and bitter. H-O is smooth and sweet.

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Attention Oil Men!

"HOW TO SAVE TIME ON DRILLING WELLS!"

You must know there is a big loss of Power from your belts slipping. Well, we can stop that and so can you. If you will use GREEN SEAL BELT DRESSING on your belts.

Read what those drillers say:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Feb. 20, '97.

Your Dressing is just the thing; it covers wear on machinery, and with it we can run a belt that would tear in two if we had to make it tight enough to hold without the Dressing. It is not a good thing for belt manufacturers, but it is a "DAISY" for the users of belts. Besides we have no slipping now.

Yours,
GILCHRIST & GOLDRICH.

We send it out on trial and guarantee it to do all we claim for it.

Write us for a can of it.

PHŒNIX OIL CO.,
Quincy Block. - - Cleveland, Ohio

Do You Want Employment

At home or traveling with GOOD PAY? If so, write us for particulars, giving age and occupation. You can work all or part time, and the work is LIGHT AND EASY. Address,

The Hawks Nursery Co.
26-4mos Rochester,

MONEY TO LOAN!

On City Property.

I can make loans on good business property and the better class of residence property, at lowest rate of interest ever offered in Lima, 5 to 6 per cent. *Prompt service! No delays! Be sure and get my terms when you want a loan*

T. K. WILKINS 9-10 Opera Block

LOCAL TIME CARD

Giving time of departure of trains from the various depots at Lima. Corrected June 22, 1896:

P., Ft. W. & C. R. R.

No. 4—Going East Daily ..... 7 45 a m
" 18— " " ..... 8 20 a m
" 20— " " ex. Sunday. 3 15 p m
" 6— " " ..... 9 30 p m
" 8— " " Limited ..... 10 50 p m
" 39—Going West. " ex. Sunday. 9 20 a m
" 9— " " ..... 3 50 p m
" 51— " " ..... 3 44 p m
" 15— " " ..... 3 00 a m
" 61 " " Limited ..... 3 23 a m

C., H. & D. R.

No. 7—Going South, daily ..... 2 35 a m
" 11— " " ex. Sunday 5 a m
" 1— " " " 9 2 a m
" 5— " " ..... 12 48 p m
" 3— " " ..... 4 08 p m
" 13— " arrive daily ex. Sunday 7 15 p m
" 61— " Sunday only ..... 7 15 a m
No. 12—Going North, daily ..... 1 35 a m
" 14— " daily ex. Sunday 6 00 a m
" 2— " daily ex. Sunday 9 22 a m
" 6— " " 12 25 p m
" 4— " " ex Sunday 4 35 p m
" 10— " ex. Sun. arrive 8 5 0 p m
" 60— " Sunday only ..... 7 45 a m
" 63— " arrive 10 30 p m

L. E. & W. R. R.

No. 6—Going East, daily ex. Sunday .. 7 20 a m
" 4— " " " " " .. 1 40 p m
" 2— " " " .. 7 20 p m
" " Sunday only ..... 7 00 a m
Return ..... 9 30 p m
" 1— West " " " .. 9 35 a m
" 5— " " " " .. 4 50 p m
" 3— " " " .. 2 45 a m

C. & E. R. R.

Local—Going East, daily ex. Sunday 7 00 a m
No. 2— " " " " " 3:30 p m
" 6— " " " 9 02 p m
" 12— " " " 2 45 a m
Local—West, " " " 7 00 a m
No. 1— " " " 9 23 a m
" 5— " " " 11 38 a m
" 3— " " " 12 37 p m
" 13 " " " Monday 5 05 p m

OHIO SOUTHERN.

LEAVES SOUTH.

No. 4—Daily ex. Sunday ..... 8:20 a m
No. 1— " " " ..... 3:30 p m

ARRIVES NORTH.

No. 3—Daily ex. Sunday ..... 11:25 a m
No. 4— " " " ..... 5:05 p m

LIMA NORTHERN.

GOING NORTH.

No. 3—Express, leaves ..... 11:30 a m
No. 15—Local, " ..... 9:00 a m
No. 20—Mixed " ..... 6:20 a m
No. 1—Passenger " ..... 5:10 p m

GOING SOUTH.

No. 1—Express, arrives ..... 2:25 p m
No. 21—Mixed, " ..... 11:00 a m
No. 19—Local fr't, " ..... 6:00 p m
No. 3—Passenger " ..... 8:00 p m

Election and Social.

The Dime Society of St. Paul's Lutheran Church will hold its annual election of officers and a Social on Wednesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at the home of Mr. Charles Brenner, on west Wayne street. All are cordially invited to be present.

DISEASES OF THE SKIN.

The intense itching and smarting incident to eczema, tetter, salt-rheum, and other diseases of the skin is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. Many very bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy for sore nipples, chapped hands, chilblains, frost bites, and chronic sore eyes. For sale by druggists at 25 cents per box.

Try Dr. Cady's Condition Powders, they are just what a horse needs when in bad condition. Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge.

NEW BUILDING

At Wooster Agricultural Experiment Station.

DEDICATION JUNE THIRD.

Detailed Description of the New Building Now Being Completed—Farmers and Citizens will Turn Out —The Great Farm.

While many buildings adorn the more than 600 acres of the great Ohio State farm, one mile southeast of Wooster, where hundreds of acres are undergoing the most careful scientific cultivation of all kinds of crops, fruits, flowers, cattle and everything in the agricultural and farming line, the main or administration building is the climax or principal structure erected by the state for the benefit of every county in the state.

It is a substantial structure, built in fireproof construction of the warm, yellow sandstone found on the station farm. It comprises two portions, an office building 50x70 feet in size, two stories high, and a laboratory wing, 1½ story, 36x68 feet, and is a monument to the contractors, Thomas Stence, of Ashland, and Samuel Ames, of Wooster.

The first floor of the office building is practically a library, being divided by corridors into rooms which serve the combined purpose of offices and libraries, each member of the technical staff having his separate office in which are collected the books pertaining to his special work.

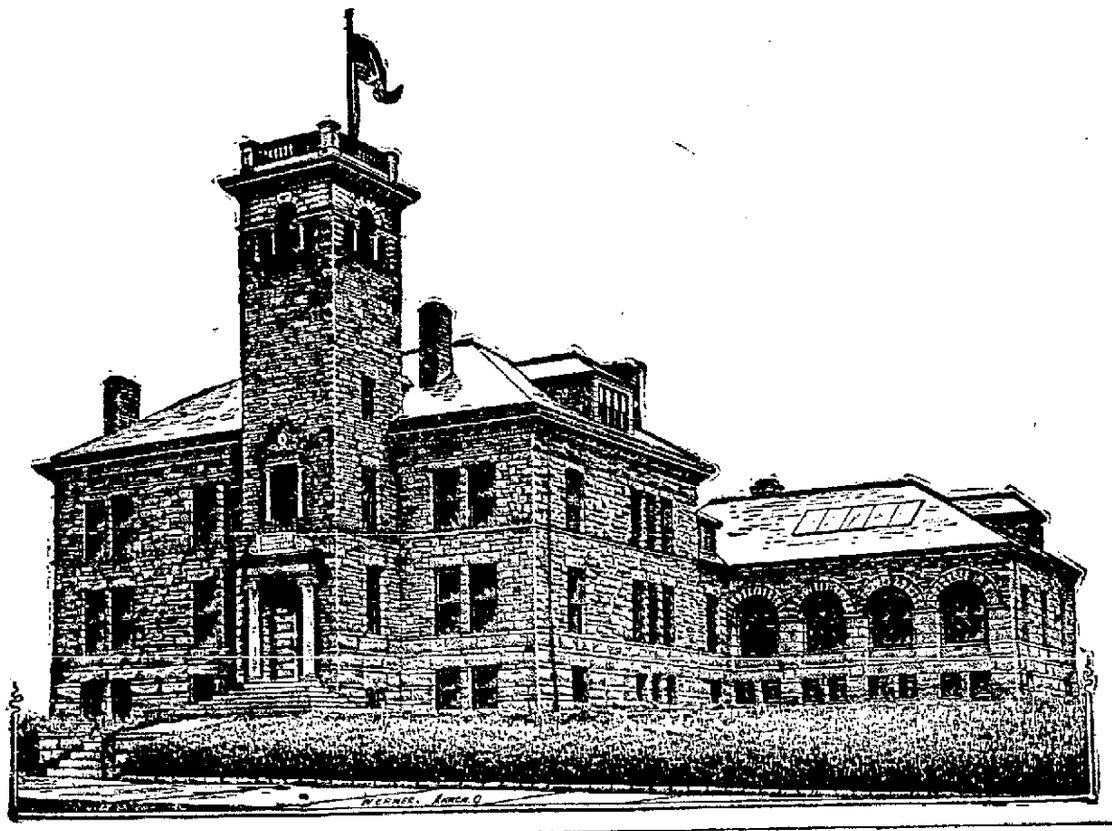
The second floor contains two offices, similar to those on the first floor, and a large room for museum purposes, in which will be stored samples of soils, different varieties of farm and horticultural products, photographs and materials illustrative of the station's work.

The chemical laboratory occupies the larger portion of the rear wing. It is equipped with a small but select assortment of apparatus for chemical research, and looks out, through its tower may be seen many square miles of the most beautiful urban and agricultural scenery to be found in all the broad expanse of this most beautiful of states.

To the north is the city of Wooster, lying on the southward slope of the Applecreek valley and crowned with the buildings of the University of Wooster, belonging to the Ohio Synod of the Presbyterian church, and a symbol both of the intellectual and religious life of our state.

Westward, the wide, deep valley of the Killbuck cleaves the landscape from north to south, its broad slopes dotted with farm buildings and checkered with grain fields, meadows, orchards and wood lots.

Eastward lies the farm of the station with its numerous dwellings, barns and other buildings; its orchards and broad fields, and its hundreds of test plots, arranged in blocks and tiers, while on the sides, stretching away for miles in every direction, are the beautiful, well-kept farms of Wayne county, with their large barns and elegant dwellings, the whole forming such a panorama of rural beauty as is to be found in very few localities.



The completion of this great structure will be appropriately dedicated with most imposing and generally interesting ceremonies on Thursday, June 3rd, 1897, on which occasion there will be notable men present from all parts of Ohio, and from other states, and the greatest crowd from every township in Wayne county, who are especially honored in the whole state for having such an institution located there, thus showing that Wayne county is a peerless agricultural county.

The above illustration is merely an outline of what the new building presents on exterior view.

large, arched windows, upon the panoramic view to the north.

The laboratory occupies three floors, the basement being used for storage, preparation of samples, etc., the main floor containing the general analytical room, nitrogen room and apparatus room, and the second floor containing a commodious photographic gallery, with its necessary adjuncts of dark room, etc.

In the rear of the main building stand the green houses and the biological laboratory, both buildings including stone offices in front with glass houses in the rear.

The station occupies a commanding position, and from the outlook on its

The day of dedication, aptly designated as "Ohio Farmers' Day," will be made a notable one by the people of Wooster and Wayne county, marking, as it does, so important an event to the sturdy tillers of the soil. Complete plans for the day have not been fully planned, but beside the exercises of dedication, will consist of a monster parade to show the progress of the century in agricultural and business development; addresses by eminent statesmen and foremost agriculturalists, closing at night with a banquet, spectacular productions and fireworks. All the railways will give special low rates to those who desire to witness the exercises.

Card of Thanks.

Ben Dennis wishes to return his sincere thanks to the friends who were so kind during the sickness and death of his wife.

Mr. Charles H. Wetzel of Sunbury, Pa., was so much pleased with a remedy which cured him of rheumatism that he made affidavit of the fact for publication, as follows: "This is to certify that on May 11th I walked into Melick's drug store on a pair of crutches, bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm for inflammatory rheumatism, which had crippled me up. After using three bottles I am completely cured. I can cheerfully recommend it.

CHARLES H. WETZEL."

Sworn and subscribed to before me on Aug. 10, 1895. Walter Shipman, J. P. Pain Balm is for sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by Melville, the druggist, old postoffice corner; C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

Main Street Church of Christ.

Elder L. A. Warren will preach during the week, every evening at 7:30. Subject for this evening, "The Divinity of Christ." A cordial invitation to all.

When a person begins to grow thin there is something wrong. The waste is greater than the supply and it is only a question of time when the end must come.

In nine cases out of ten the trouble is with the digestive organs. If you can restore them to a healthy condition you will stop the waste, put on new flesh and cause them to feel better in every way. The food they eat will be digested and appropriated to the needs of the system, and a normal appetite will appear.

Consumption frequently follows a wasting of bodily tissue because nearly all consumptives have indigestion. The Shaker Digestive Cordial will restore the stomach to a healthy condition in a vast majority of cases. Get one of their books from your druggist and learn about this new and valuable remedy.

When the children need Castor Oil, give them Laxol; it is palatable.

C., H. & D. Will Sell

Tickets to St. Louis May 4 and 5, one fare for the round trip.

G. A. R.

Regular meeting of Mart Armstrong Post to-night at 7:30. Full attendance is desired.

O. G. VOGEL,
Post Commander.

There is some one in almost every neighborhood who is subject to attacks of pain in the stomach or bilious colic. Mr. J. D. Kinney, Warren Center, Pa., used to be troubled in that way. He says: "The attacks were marked by terrible pains, diarrhœa and fainting spells. At such times I suffered exceedingly, until I began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy, two or three doses of which effected an immediate and lasting cure." For sale by Melville, the druggist, old postoffice corner; C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

Baldwin-Melville Company.

Unquestionably the strongest repertoire organization on the road is the Baldwin-Melville Company. The popular company will open a week's engagement on next Monday night, at Faurot Opera House. Popular prices will prevail. Night prices 10, 20 and 30 cents. Matinee on Wednesday and Saturday. Matinee prices, 10 and 20 cents. "The Devil's Web," a great comedy, will be the opening bill Monday night. Edison's latest animated pictures will be exhibited at each performance, through the Magniscope. Ladies will be admitted free Monday night on a paid 30 cent ticket. Seats on sale Friday morning at Melville's drug store.

Mr. D. G. Edwards,

Passenger traffic manager, C., H. & D., has just issued the following circular which explains itself:

Baggage destined to points in Mexico, routed via Mexican Central Railway through El Paso, should be checked to Ciudad Juarez, which is on the Mexican side of the Rio Grande, opposite El Paso. To points in Mexico routed via Eagle Pass and the Mexican International, baggage should be checked to Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, which is on the Mexican side of he Rio Grande, opposite Eagle Pass.

See The

Wood bars we are selling at $1.50.

LIMA CYCLE SUPPLY CO.,
2t 217 So. Main St.

UNFAITHFUL WIFE.

Frank O. Meredith, a Deserted Husband, Enters Suit for Divorce.

Frank O. Meredith has entered suit in the probate court against Catharine J. Meredith for a divorce. The petition states that they were married on the 29th day of March, 1894, and that since December, 1895, she has been guilty of conduct unbecoming a wife.

It is claimed also in the petition that Mrs. Meredith abandoned her husband in March, 1895, and ever since has wholly neglected all her domestic duties, and that he has no knowledge as to where the defendant is living.

Election of Officers.

The Allen County Medical Society met in regular session yesterday and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: Dr. Vail, president; Dr. Burton, vice-president; Dr. Van Note, secretary, and Dr. Bates, treasurer. Arrangements were completed for a banquet to be given at the Lima House, May 18th. Members present were: Drs. Vail, Burton, Van Note, Bates, Harper, Mumaugh, Steiner, Hill, F. G. Stueber, McCall, Huntly, Hiner and Bice.

A prominent western newspaper recommends flax seed tea as an excellent remedy for whooping cough. It may be good, but it is not to be compared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This preparation will allay the violent fits of coughing and make them less frequent and less severe. It also liquefies the tough mucus, making it easier to expectorate. Complete recovery is much quicker, too, when this remedy is given. There is no danger in giving it to small children, as it is a pleasant syrup and contains nothing injurious. For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by Melville, the druggist, old postoffice corner; C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

Moyer Road Wagons.

We are now having the genuine "Moyer Spring" Road Wagon made for us at Wapakoneta, Ohio. Also keep the largest stock of Buggies and Wagons in N. W. Ohio. Call at 130 E. High st., Lima, Ohio.

f-wed H. PARHAM.

DRINK AT MEALS.

AN IMPORTANT PART

The real trouble with tea and coffee drinking is not generally understood. It is common knowledge with everyone that physicians advise the discontinuance of both tea and coffee when a person is sick, particularly when the digestive machinery is affected. Any person with a slight knowledge of chemistry can make the following experiments, securing the results as given. Coagulated egg albumen when mixed with artificial gastric juices, will be practically entirely digested in eight hours.

When tea is added during the process of digestion, 66 per cent. of albumen will be digested leaving 34 per cent. undigested, while if a decoction of coffee is mixed with the albumen, the result will be but 61 per cent digested and 39 per cent undigested. This means one thing, and the experiment speaks that fact plainly. When tea or coffee is taken into the human stomach, they very seriously interfere with the natural and healthful operation. Where a person has an exceedingly powerful digestive aparatus, he can stand this abuse for a time, but it is sure to tell sooner or later.

In addition to the above it may be said that any ordinary analytical chemist can analyze coffee and show the poisonous alkaloids of much the same character as found in strychnine, whisky, tobacco and morphine. These poisons have a direct effect upon the liver, and a furred tongue, costive bowels, bad skin and various other indications of approaching sickness are apparent. These facts have been recognized by physicians for many years, but it is difficult to induce people to leave off their habits even when those habits are shown to be injurious and to shorten the existence of the human body.

The manager of La Vita Inn, a health institution at Battle Creek, Mich., made a large number of experiments in the direction of a food drink that would be at once nourishing, palatable and fragrant, without any of the poisonous or injurious properties. His experiments were confined to compounding and arranging products of various cereals, or grains, such as were intended by nature for man's subsistence. Being in a position to note the effect of the beverage upon weak stomachs, and patients who needed the most nourishing food and drink that could be obtained, his experiments were conducted under what would probably be considered the most favorably circumstances. After continued use and the most positive evidence of the healthful properties of the food-drink, patients who had been healed wished to continue the use of the cereal drink after their return to their homes, and others made demand for it.

In order to supply this demand and the public generally, the Postum Cereal Co., Limited, was formed. All people who drink coffee and tea do not care to discontinue their use, although quite satisfied of their hurtful properties. There are enough people, however, in America who hold their health in high enough esteem to be willing to give a little attention to their food and drink. There is no habit the creature acquires which produces as much real enjoyment as the old fashioned habit of being thoroughly well. When a man can inhale a deep breath of pure air and feel that every part of the machinery of the human body is working perfectly, the feeling of comfort produces a deep sense of easy content and thankfulness to the Creator for the mere privilege of living.

Postum is a thoroughly healthful food drink. It can be taken at each meal by all members of the family, including the children. It quickly establishes itself as an important part of the meal, and when left out, one misses the fragrant odor, the comforting flavor and the health giving properties.

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AN ORDINANCE

Providing for an Issue of Bonds for the Purpose of Providing Grounds for Park Purposes, for Enclosing, Improving, Adorning and Embellishing the Same.

WHEREAS, At the general election held in the City of Lima, Ohio, on the 18th day of March, 1897, at which the question of issuing bonds of said city in the sum of $98,000 for the purpose of providing a fund for park purposes, was submitted to the qualified voters of said city; and

WHEREAS, Two thirds and more of the voters voting at said election upon said question, voted in favor thereof; therefore

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the bonds of said city be issued in the sum of $98,000 for the purpose of providing a fund for park purposes, for enclosing, improving, adorning and embellishing the same. Said bonds shall be dated April 1 A. D., 1897, and shall be of the denomination of one thousand ($1,000) dollars each, and shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable semi annually, and be payable at the City Treasurer's office, Lima, Ohio.

SECTION 2. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, under the seal of the city, and countersigned by the City Clerk, and shall be sold in the manner provided by law for the sale of municipal bonds.

SECTION 3. Said bonds shall be issued in series due and payable as follows:

1900	$ 5,000
1901	3,000
1902	3,000
1903	3,000
1904	3,000
1905	3,000
1906	3,000
1907	3,000
1908	3,000
1909	3,000
1910	3,000
1911	3,000
1912	3,000
1913	3,000
1914	3,000
1915	3,000
1916	10,000

SECTION 4. The proceeds of said bonds shall be placed in the city treasury to the credit of a fund to be known as the "Park Fund," and shall be used for the purpose of providing park grounds and enclosing, improving, adorning and embellishing the same and for no other purpose whatever.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed this 3rd day of May, A. D. 1897.

J. M. McVEY,
President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk. 5 5 w th 2w

AN ORDINANCE

To Improve West Alley from West Market Street to Spring Street.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the improvement of West alley be proceeded with in accordance with a resolution to improve the same adopted the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1897, by grading the same to the established grade and center stoning the roadway with the old stone about to be removed from west spring street, in accordance with the plans and profiles therefor on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer.

SECTION 2. The costs and expenses of said improvement shall be assessed per front foot upon the lots and lands abutting upon said alley from west Market street to Spring street, and said assessments shall be made payable in two annual installments.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

Passed this 3rd day of May, A. D. 1897.

J. M. McVEY,
President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk. 5-5 w th 2w

AN ORDINANCE,

To Improve West Spring Street from Cole Street to Woodlawn Avenue.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the improvement of west Spring street be proceeded with in accordance with a resolution to improve the same adopted the 15th day of March, A. D. 1897, by center stoning the roadway of said street with the old stone about to be removed from west Spring street in accordance with the plans and profiles therefor on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer.

SEC. 2. The costs and expenses of said improvement shall be assessed per front foot upon the lots and lands abutting upon said street from Cole street to Woodlawn avenue, and said assessments shall be made payable in two annual installments.

SEC. 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

Passed this 3rd day of May, A. D. 1897.

J. M. McVEY,
President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk. 5 5 w th 2w

AN ORDINANCE,

To Improve Buckeye Alley, from McDonald Street to Metcalf street.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the improvement of Buckeye alley be proceeded with in accordance with a resolution adopted the 15th day of March, A. D. 1897, by grading the same to the established grade, and center stoning the roadway with the old stone about to be removed from west Spring street, in accordance with the plans and profiles therefor on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer.

SEC. 2. The costs and expenses of said improvement shall be assessed per front foot upon the lots and lands abutting upon said alley from McDonald street to Metcalf street, and said assessment shall be made payable in two annual installments.

SEC. 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

Passed this 3rd day of May, A. D. 1897.

J. M. McVEY,
President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk. 5-5-w th-2w

AN ORDINANCE

To Improve Nye Street, from West Spring Street to West Elm Street.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the improvement of Nye street be proceeded with in accordance with a resolution adopted the 8th day of February, A. D. 1897, by center stoning the roadway with the old stone about to be removed from west Spring street in accordance with the plans and profiles therefor on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer.

SECTION 2. The costs and expenses of said improvement shall be assessed per front foot upon the lots and lands abutting upon said street from west Spring street to west Elm street, and said assessment shall be made payable in two annual installments.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

Passed this 3rd day of May, A. D. 1897.

J. M. McVEY,
President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk. 5 5 w th 2w

AN ORDINANCE

To Improve Cole Street from West High Street to West Elm Street.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the improvement of Cole street be proceeded with in accordance with a resolution to improve the same adopted the 8th day of February, A. D. 1897, by center stoning the roadway with the old stone about to be removed from west Spring street in accordance with the plans and profiles therefor on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer.

SEC. 2. The cost and expenses of said improvement shall be assessed per front foot upon the lots and lands abutting upon said street from west High street to west Elm street, and said assessment shall be made payable in two annual installments.

SEC. 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

Passed this 3rd day of May, A. D. 1897.

J. M. McVEY,
President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk. w th 2w

AN ORDINANCE

To Construct a Sewer On South Elizabeth Street, from Eureka Street to Circular Street.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

SECTION 1. That a sewer shall be constructed on south Elizabeth street, from Eureka street to Circular street; the same to be constructed with a first-class quality of 12-inch sewer pipe, and in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer.

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall go into full force and effect from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

Passed this 3rd day of May, A. D. 1897.

J. M. McVEY,
President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk. 5 5 w th 2w

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DEMOCRATIC SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

Democrats of the 32nd Senatorial District of Ohio will meet in convention at Delphos O, Wednesday, May 26th, 1897, at 10 a. m., to nominate two (2) candidates for State Senators.

The committee apportioned the delegates on the basis of one delegate for each 100 votes and one delegate for each fraction of 50 or more votes cast for Hon. W. J. Bryan.

Under this apportionment the several counties are entitled to the following number of delegates

	Delegates
Allen	64
Auglaize	49
Defiance	42
Mercer	48
Paulding	36
Van Wert	40
Williams	35
Total	314

S. A. ARMSTRONG, Chairman.
FLOYD ANDELL, Secretary

During his lifetime no man in congress was so thoroughly hated and abused as William S. Holman—who earned the title of the watch-dog of the treasury—by the Washington lobby, whose jobs his vigilance and courage constantly thwarted. The Philadelphia *Record* very well suggests that now that he is dead, no man who has been in congress during the last fifty years, is more deserving of a monument and adds "If made of gold the monument would not cost a tithe of what he has sayed to the public treasury by his inflexible integrity and watchfulness of the public interests."

The Republicans of Ohio are preparing for next fall's campaign, and the Cleveland *Leader* ventures to express the opinion that "the state will not go Democratic" if the Republicans "go into the fight harmoniously." The new bill of tariff abominations which is impending over the country is as little likely to promote Republican harmony and success in Ohio and elsewhere, even if there should be entire agreement among Ohio politicians as to the distribution of the party spoils between Senators Hanna and Foraker and their respective followers. The people whose discontents can be quieted by office and spoils are comparatively few, while there are none who will not be touched by the far-reaching extortions of the tariff now threatening the country. Just about the time the people of Ohio go to the polls next November multitudes of them will have both in their limbs and pockets a very keen feeling of the effects of a barbarous tax on their clothing and blankets. It will be very strange if the ballot boxes in Ohio do not give a very emphatic expression of this feeling next fall, as they did so in 1890 and 1892.—*Philadelphia Record*

There is such a great cry about wool when tariffs are under consideration in congress that its importance in the commerce of the country is unduly magnified. The following table, showing the comparative value of wool and hides imported into the country, will prove instructive.

Fiscal Year	Hides, Value	Wool value.
1890	$21,881,888	$15,264,083
1891	27,230,759	18,231,372
1892	28,658,133	19,688,108
1893	27,030,775	21,064,180
1894	15,136,888	6,107,438
1895	23,872,489	25,556,425
1896	30,520,177	33,451,342
Total	$176,723,107	$138,362,844

It will be seen that even under the operation of the Wilson tariff, with wool on the free list, there has been in the fiscal years 1895 and 1896 less than a million dollars difference between the aggregate value of the two products, while the excess in the value of hides imported in the last seven fiscal years has been $38,360,262.

LABOR'S MEMORIAL.

There are several striking points about the memorial presented to President McKinley and his cabinet by the executive council of the Federation of Labor a few days ago.

The memorial is not a partisan document. It has not been prepared by Democrats or Populists, with the intention of discrediting or embarrassing the administration.

It is more impressive as a cry of despair than as a petition for relief. Those portions calling attention to the condition of the producing classes are strong and emphatic.

The memorial calls President McKinley's attention to the fact that his pre-election promises have not been fulfilled and that the present course of the administration will not fulfill them.

It points out that the promised prosperity has not arrived, but that the same conditions of depression and destitution that prevailed before McKinley's triumph are still rife.

And President McKinley's attention is called to the fact that the workers and producers of the country, as represented by this memorial, do not ask for a change in the tariff. They do not ask for the passage of the Dingley bill, or even hint that it would benefit them. On the contrary, they treat it with silence.

The memorial is an outcry from the buncoed and outraged workers. It proves that they are beginning to wake up. It augurs ill for the Republican party in the coming state and congressional campaigns.

"THE MODERN MENACE."

In speaking under the above heading of the foul blot that will rest on the page of history through the supineness and indifference of the nations in their attitude toward Greece in this supreme moment of her peril, if not of her complete subversion, the Shreveport, La., *Times* well says:

"A pigmy facing a giant! Only a figment of the eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth centuries, that attempted to wrest the Holy Land from the Mohammedan's power! The same spirit actuating these descendants of a mighty race that tilted the lance with buckler and shield and sword against the Moslem hordes of the crescent

"Six powers of mighty stature with the cross emblazoned on their banners, and hands on the hilts of their swords—British, French, Russian, Italian, Austrians and Germans—stand by and watch the unequal combat between Greeks and Turks They rather give their moral and material support to the fanatical hosts that have overwhelmed the little band of enlightened defenders of modern civilization and Christianity.

"Oh, the shame of it! Behind these modern Goliaths stands the one fell spirit of the age that is making merciless war on virtue, honor, justice and truth that elevate mankind and promote human progress, prosperity and happiness. The Rothschilds' gold, that sways the destinies of European nations, has laid its shinning hand on the powers and corrupted the spirit of justice and right. One more victim, a martyred hero, sacrificed to the merciless and insatiable Moloch that has reared a temple of interest. Principle beaten down by might, while right, with shame in every lineament of its once glowing face, stays its hand, held inactive by the gilded presence of accumulated wealth."

A dealer says there is more steel used in the manufacture of pens than in all the sword and gun factories in the world

BEGINNING OF THE END.

Power of the Money Trusts Has Already Begun to Wane

The pretense by the Republican leaders and newspapers that the result in Chicago was caused by dissatisfaction with the corrupt political machine in that city is the veriest bosh. It is the direct consequence of the reaction from the disgraceful methods followed by Hanna and his political freebooters last fall.

They intrenched themselves in Chicago. They made it the citadel of their nefarious campaign, their base of operations. There they centralized and set in motion all the agencies which carried the election for McKinley. Their glibest orators therein held forth nightly and daily, pouring out lying promises of a land that would flow with the milk and honey of prosperity the moment the apostle of protection should be elected president

There they plotted and carried out the elaborate plan of coercing the votes of the workingmen of Chicago, and through their abettors and aiders, the railroads, the manufacturing corporations and other forms of aggregated wealth, they extended their menaces and threats against breadwinners into every city and county throughout the length and breadth of the land

There they erected the stronghold where they assembled and actively employed all the villainies by which the people of the United States were cheated out of a fair opportunity to declare an untrammeled verdict at the polls last November There they played their shameless confidence game and there they promulgated their rosy promises that have turned into black deceptions and hideous lies in the sight of the people

These are the causes of the reversal of the verdict of November within a little more than five months by a plurality of 80,000 votes in favor of a Democratic candidate and Democratic principles

It is the beginning of the end. In it is visible the handwriting on the wall dooming the Republican cormorants who now have control of the government to inevitable defeat in succeeding elections It is the uplifting crest of the wave that will gather force as the days wane and roll higher as the seasons pass, until it will sweep from power the money sharks, the trusts, the leeches of commerce of trade, of transportation and with them the chief executive and the congress that have dared to preach that tariff robbery of the people is a national virtue and who are holding the country down to be pilfered by the men whose money aided so effectually in putting them into office.—Kansas City Times.

That tired feeling is due to impoverished blood. Enrich the blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla and be strong and vigorous.

AN AGED LADY,

And a Pioneer Citizen, Died This Morning Very Suddenly.

Mrs John L. O'Connor died at 3 o'clock this morning at her home, on the corner of McKibben and McDonel streets. She was stricken with paralysis last night and never revived She was sixty-five years old and was one of the well known and highly respected ladies of the city. She moved to Lima in 1854, and has been a citizen here ever since.

She leaves six children to mourn her demise. Mr. John L. O'Connor is her husband.

A CARELESS DRIVER

Leaves a Team of Horses Stand Untied — They Become Frightened and Run Away.

A team of horses, left standing untied on west Spring street this after noon, became frightened and ran away. The team collided with a one-horse wagon occupied by A. Poling, a farmer living ten miles west of Lima The tongue of the wagon struck Mr. Poling in the side and back of his head, inflicting a serious wound. Dr. Terwilliger was called and dressed the wounds. One ear was nearly torn loose and the back part of the head badly bruised.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

STEEL ROLLING STOCK.

The recent heavy reduction in the price of steel may cause the adoption of freight and passenger railroad cars to be constructed entirely of steel. Several large roads, among which the Lake Erie is one, have just placed large orders for steel cars. A great saving in dead weight would result from the use of these cars and there would be less loss in case of fire, and many other advantages would be had over wooden cars. As soon as the price for steel cars shall be lowered to that paid for wooden freight cars, which is from $500 to $700, there will be a great demand for them.

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The same man can do many other wonderful things He appears absolutely perfect in the art of balancing He can balance a very light stick on his nose and a heavy one on his chin and then throw the heavy one into the air with his head and catch it on the end of the light When balancing these two sticks, end on end, he will make one revolve in one direction and the other in the other He puts one hand on a flat, circular stone throws his feet up into the air and balances a stick on each of them At the same time he revolves rapidly on the pivot formed by his arm and the stone —Boston Transcript

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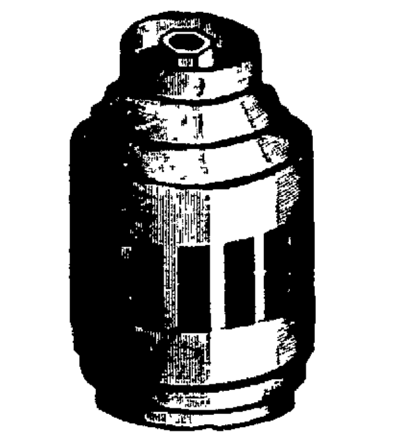

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Every business man can join if he wishes to. If necessary will split classes and have two sessions a day.

MORE MEASLES.

Two New Cases Reported to the Health Officer Yesterday.

Two new cases of measles were reported to Health Officer Laudick yesterday. One case is at the residence of H. Rydman, 605 north West street, and the other is at the residence of L W. Allen, 651 north Jefferson street.

This makes three new cases of the disease that has been reported this week

White Shirts.

We have just received a case of Men's Unlaundered Shirts, made of Wamsutta cotton, seams double filled, 3 ply set in bosom, shrunk linings, button protector on back of neck band, pure linen bosom. The price is only 50c, and it's a better shirt than has ever been sold in Lima at this price heretofore.

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To adjust the wood bars we are selling at $1 50.

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TO ST. MARYS

Remains of Mrs Dennis Were Taken To-day for Interment.

The funeral services of Mrs. Anna E. Dennis, wife of Brendridge Dennis, were conducted from Calvary Reformed Church at 7:30 o'clock this morning, and the remains were taken to St Marys over the L E. & W. on train 1, leaving here at 9 45 o'clock The remains were interred at St. Marys.

Wood Handle Bars

For your bike, $1.50.

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The C., H. & D. Ry.

has been granted permission by the Central Passenger Committee to sell excursion tickets to Detroit, Mich., to members of the National Association of Stove Manufacturers, May 11 to 15; also to Cleveland and return, on account of the Ohio State Medical Association.

OUR SPECIAL Sale began this morning and is the sensation of the year. If you are going to buy furniture now is your chance to get it cheap. F E. HARMAN'S.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Henry Whitney and wife to Leroy Wetherill and wife. inlot 202 in Jacobs' extended addition to Lima. $1200.

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NICE OAK Dining Room Set complete—sideboard, extension table, and six cane seat chairs—at $21.68, at F. E. Harman's Special Sale.

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J R Niblo, ex-school superintendent of Rochester, Pa, says "I have been a great sufferer from asthma for years, but I have had a splendid winter, owing to the surprising efficacy of Brazilian Balm" A lady in Cincinnati, who had suffered with asthma for 17 years, could not lie down, was perfectly cured with Brazilian Balm.

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A $40 gold watch for the best ad for this place

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No carcasses removed or received on Sunday except where contagious disease exists and other stock is in danger of suffering.

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Excursions to St. Louis via Pennsylvania Lines.

May 4th and 5th, Excursion Tickets to St. Louis will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines for the North America Gymnastic Union, National Festival Bundesturnfest, and National Association Local Fire Insurance Agents. Tickets will be valid for return trip leaving St. Louis only on May 9th, 10th or 11th. For further information, please address local ticket agent of the Pennsylvania Lines.

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You can find out all about them by applying to nearest ticket agent of the Pennsylvania Lines or by addressing C. L. Kimball, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Cleveland, O

Grand Collapse of . . Clothing Prices!

The Mammoth's Closing Sale is setting the hottest pace on record in the city of Lima. Bargains in bunches. A genuine sacrifice of stylish Clothing. Do you doubt it? The skeptic can easily ascertain the exact facts by inquiring of any one of the thousands of purchasers who have invaded our store since the sale began. Ask any person who has purchased a dollars' worth of goods since the cut in prices was made if it was not a genuine bargain. See if there is a single unsatisfied customer in the whole city of Lima. Look at the clothing. The former and the present price is plainly marked--the cut is clearly shown. Another evidence is the

Extraordinary Attendance at the Sale.

We must apologize to the people for our inability to attend to the wants of all as promptly as they might wish. The truth is the crowds of the first few days rendered satisfactory service an imposibility. The corps of clerks, however, has been increased and we hope to be able to care for our customers in the future. The sale is still on. We offer

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MAIDEN EFFORT OF OHIOAN.

Replying to the Charge of Extravagant Expenditures by the Marylander, the Buckeye Orator Defends the Republican Policy.

Washington, May 5.—Senators Gorman of Maryland and Foraker of Ohio had a lively tilt in the senate during the consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill.

There was added interest in the controversy from the fact that Mr. Foraker is a newcomer and this was his maiden effort, while Mr. Gorman is one of the veterans of the senate.

It occurred when Mr. Foraker offered an amendment appropriating $400,000 for the Tennessee river. This gave Mr. Gorman a text for a severe criticism of reckless extravagance in appropriations.

There was something of a stir when Mr. Foraker rose to reply to Mr. Gorman. It was the maiden speech of the Ohio senator. He said the senator's (Gorman's) speech made him think of that governor who refused to grant a pardon because he had already granted two pardons to parties from the same county. This speech, he said, was a repetition of one the senator had made recently on the Indian appropriation bill when he had undertaken to tell senators as to their duty to the country.

At that time he (Gorman) had declared that the appropriations were recklessly extravagant. And having thus delivered himself the senator entered the cloak room, put on his hat and went home. He (Foraker) had expected some particulars of this extravagance, but they were not offered.

"So far as the tariff policy and the tariff bill that have been referred to by the senator are concerned, let me say that they need no defense from me or any other senator on this side of the chamber at this time. In view of the experience this country has had during the last four years, the tariff policy of the Republican party is speaking for itself more eloquently than any human tongue can speak.

"So far, Mr. President, as the pensioners of this government are concerned, the senator need not have the solicitude he manifests. They will be taken care of. They have never failed to be taken care of under Republican administrations.

"For the next four years it is the purpose of the legislation we propose that the government of the United States shall have a sufficient revenue to meet its ordinary expenditures; that it shall have a sufficient revenue to make it unnecessary to issue bonds to meet the current obligations of the government; that it shall have a sufficient revenue to pay pensions to the men who are entitled to them; and it will have that revenue and those obligations will all be discharged. The senator need not have any apprehension on that point."

Mr. Gorman replied in a jocular style. He said the senator (Foraker) was a new arrival, and came as one of the great host from Ohio. He had not been in the senate long. He would learn in time the methods of the cloak room, and that senators were measured by their associates and their services. The senator (Foraker) was the senior senator from Ohio, the state sending us a president, and yet he was among the first to urge an increase of $400,000 in the appropriations.

Mr. Foraker had a parting word. He said he had spoken only because the Maryland senator had undertaken to lecture the Republican side. The senator should not feel alarmed. There would be an economical administration and senators on the Republican side would join hands with him in reducing expenditures. But the new men would at least expect him to draw on his great stores of experience and information. The Maryland senator had professed to have so much knowledge that the newcomers would look to him as a guide in taking the burdens from the people, "whose tribune he assumed to be."

Robbers Bound Over.

Delaware, O., May 5.—Mike Connell, Morris Bennett and Richard Keefe were bound over to the court of common pleas for assaulting with intent to rob a student, N. W. Wheeler, who lives in Portland, O. The young man was attacked on the streets at midnight and was about to be relieved of his valuables when the robbers were arrested by Officer Carl who had been watching the three men for an hour.

A Three-Eyed Triplet.

Glenham, N. Y., May 5.—Mrs. John Higgs has become the mother of three babies weighing 10 pounds each, but what is still more remarkable is that one of the infants has three eyes, one of them being just above the bridge of the nose, while the other two eyes are in the normal position.

Miners Return to Work.

Pittsburg, May 5.—The miners' strike at Finleyville, on the Wheeling division of the Baltimore and Ohio road has been declared off. The men decided to accept the 54 cent rate, but to refuse to sign iron clad contracts. About 1,000 men were affected.

Passenger Train Wrecked.

Knoxville, May 5.—Passenger train No. 2 on the Southern railway was wrecked and turned over near Bluff City, 100 miles from Knoxville. Two people were killed and others were wounded.

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If you positively knew and were thoroughly convinced that you could buy one remedy that would replace all the old, sticky, greasy liniments, paregoric, Bateman's drops, Jamaica ginger, camphor, Godfrey's cordial and such like, we believe you would gladly pay two or three dollars for a bottle. Well, such a remedy has been discovered, but it only costs 25c a bottle. Lightning Hot Drops is the sovereign remedy for all kinds of pains, external and internal, rheumatism and neuralgia, cramps, cholera morbus, diarrhœa, summer complaint, wind on the stomach, indigestion and all like ailments, and we tell you upon our honor that Lightning Hot Drops will give instant relief in all such affections when used as directed. It is important that the directions be carefully observed and a cure will quickly follow; and so sure are we this is true that your druggist will give your money back if you get no relief. Now if Lightning Hot Drops didn't do as stated, we could not afford to sell it on such very liberal terms. We know that Lightning Hot Drops is a great medicine for all forms of painful affections. Lightning Hot Drops is all right in every respect and will do just as we say; but if it should fail to give you relief, go back to your druggist and get your money. Be sure to go by directions and relief will follow. If you don't need it to-day, get a bottle anyway, as it is a good thing to have in the house, in the shop, in the office, on the work-bench, or in the grip. It is splendid for change of water. If one of your personal friends were to tell you all we have said, you, no doubt, would get a bottle at once. Now let us be that friend, for we tell you in dead earnest that every word we have said is true—absolutely true. We are honest and sincere in our statements. Lightning Hot Drops is prepared only by us, and no honest druggist will try to get you to take something else, and don't you let him do it. Herb Medicine Co., Springfield, O.

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FARM AND GARDEN

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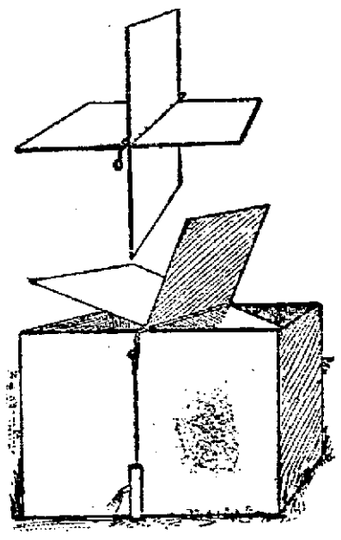

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successful operation. Some windmill plants are also doing good service on a small scale. We use sand points driven to the depth of 16 to 24 feet, where we get an endless supply of water. Windmills may be turned on and run the year round, and never affect the water supply.

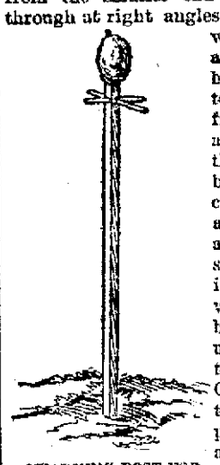
A great many in this part of the country use homemade windmills, of which I send a drawing.

An old buggy axle is used for the shaft, which is set in boxes at the top of the tower, which is a square box. Our prevailing winds are north and south, so the mill is set to face that way. It will run with any wind except a direct side wind. The cost of such a mill is about $6, and answers the same purpose as a high priced mill. By using large tanks or reservoirs, water may be obtained for irrigating small areas at very little outlay of money, by using this device.

In an explanatory note the editor of the journal quoted says: "This form of windmill is called a 'godevil' in some part of the west. As will be seen from the picture, it is a box without top or bottom set firmly on the ground. The 'windmill' is made like an old fashioned water wheel, and is set on the box so that the upper surface is exposed while the ends of the box protect the lower parts. The wind, blowing over the top of the box, turns the wheel over and over, since the blades outside of the box are the only ones that feel the wind."

Swarming Posts.

Take a pole or post 3 inches in diameter and 8 feet long. About 10 inches from the smaller end bore two holes through at right angles to one another, with an inch or a three-quarter bit. Have pegs to project out from these about a foot. On top of the post tie a bunch of rags or cotton, and over all draw tightly a dark cloth or stocking, and tie it securely. This will induce the bees to settle upon it when they come out. One or more of these swarming posts are set about the hives, say 20 steps away. They should be set into the ground about 3 feet. After the swarm has settled, set a hive upon the pegs, and they will go into it, according to Farm and Fireside.



SWARMING POST FOR BEES.

Fertilizers on Garden Crops.

In a report from the Massachusetts station a general resume is given of field experiments begun by the state station in 1891. The crops in 1895 upon which the different forms of nitrogen and potash were tested, were onions, sweet corn, beans and tomatoes. Notes and tabulated yields per plat are given for each crop and summaries for crops raised for several years in succession. The following conclusions are drawn from the summarized data:

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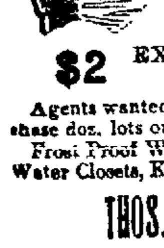

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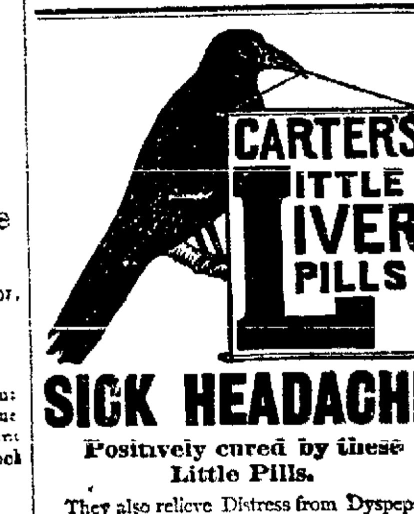

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SELECTIONS

THE LIGHT OF THE FUTURE.

An Austrian Inventor of a Phosphorescent Lamp Which Gives Cold Light.

Experiments are now being carried on in Europe which may revolutionize the lighting system of the world. The incandescent and the arc lamps as we now have them would become obsolete and the promises of the Tesla system of illumination will not need to be fulfilled. The individual conducting these experiments is the Austrian physicist Puluj (pronounced Puluie), whose researches and discoveries in the domain of what is known as cold light have given him prominence and standing in the scientific world. Fifteen years ago he invented a so called phosphorescent lamp. It excited little comment at the time, as it was thought to be but an imitation of the tubes of Geissler or Crookes. But in the light of modern ether discoveries it has taken on importance. It generates not only intense Roentgen rays, but it also transforms nearly all of the energy of the electric current into light. It emits an intense greenish white light in sufficient quantity to "illuminate a small room." Professor Ebert has made measurements which show that a single horsepower of electric energy would be sufficient to operate 46,000,000 Puluj lamps.

Taken in connection with a recent statement of Professor Oliver J. Lodge we can well believe that the lighting system of the future will be little short of marvelous as far as the generation of the light is concerned. Professor Lodge, who is the head of the department of experimental physics in University college, Liverpool, says that "if mechanical energy can be converted entirely into light alone, one man turning the crank of a suitable machine could generate enough light for a whole city." Puluj claims that his lamp fulfills this condition, and he is working hard to bring it down to a practical basis.

To produce light without heat is to perfect a system in which all of the producing energy will be turned into light. As our electric lighting system now exists only from 1 to 3 per cent of the energy is expended in light. The rest of it passes off in the form of heat. It is this immense waste of energy which makes it necessary for us to employ steam engines, dynamos and expensive creating apparatus of all kinds in producing what is after all but a mere residuum of illumination.

Puluj's lamp is not operated by dynamos or storage batteries. It operates with a different kind of electric current. It is lighted by means of an induction coil or a glass plate electric machine. The static electricity thus produced is the same in every respect as lightning. The lamp of Puluj can be operated even though only one terminal of the induction coil (the negative pole, for instance) is connected to it. The lamp itself is shaped very much the same as an ordinary Edison incandescent lamp, except that the wires leading into the lamp do not extend up the neck from a socket. They extend directly through the side of the bulb. They are made of aluminum. The negative pole, or cathode, ends in a small reflector shaped disk. Hanging from the point, or apex, of the lamp globe is a small square sheet of mica. The piece of mica faces the reflector disk or negative pole and is painted with sulphide of calcium, an extremely phosphorescent substance. When the negative pole of the lamp is connected with an induction coil, the current is, as it were, concentrated by the little disk in the lamp and a stream of radiant electricity flows from it to the painted sheet of mica, which immediately glows with an intensely brilliant phosphorescent light.

This is Puluj's lamp as it exists today. The heat evolved from it is so small that it can be neglected. Nearly all of the energy put into it is converted into light. It is therefore the nearest possible approach to cold light that has yet been made. But it is not in its present stage available for general lighting purposes. Puluj is experimenting with a view to arriving at a solution of his problem. He is carrying on a series of investigations to the end of producing a chemical lighting system. Not the production of light through the consumption of chemicals, but, as far as can be learned, the development of ethereal light vibrations by chemical means.

Tesla once made a remark which was full of the spirit of future progress in the matter of lighting. "It is of no little interest," he said, "to contemplate that we have a possible way of producing by other than chemical means a veritable flame which would give light and heat without any material being consumed, without any chemical process taking place, and to accomplish this we only need to perfect methods of producing enormous frequencies and potentials."—New York Sun.

A Lighthouse Keeper's Complaint.

Lighthouse keepers do not seem to feel their lonely life. I once spent a week on Scotland lightship, near the entrance to New York harbor. The assistant keeper was in charge, and he was nearly stone deaf. He had not been ashore for three months, and even a newspaper came to him only by chance from time to time, when a pilot boat stopped by on her way out of the harbor. From sunrise until 9 o'clock at night he did little else but sit on a hatchway, smoking an old pipe and gazing reflectively at the great harbor receiving and dismissing its thousands of vessels. One day he asked me to use my influence to get him transferred to Cape Cod. I asked him why he wished the change.

"Well," said he very seriously, "I want a quieter station. It's too lively here. I want to be where there is less going on."—Lieutenant John M Ellicott in St. Nicholas.

The Pig Came Back.

"I've heard often of cats coming back," said a New Jerseyman, "but I never but once heard of a pig's coming back. This pig was sold on a farm to a man from a neighboring village, who put it in a covered basket, shut the lids down tight and fastened them, put the basket in a wagon and drove off down a road that had sharp turns in it, so that it was something like a pair of steps, to the village, about half a mile away, where he put the pig in a pen. This was in the morning.

"Running through the farmer's land, in some low ground down toward the village, there was a brook, with a boggy meadow on either side of it. Beyond the brook the ground rose again, so that the village was on higher ground, and the farmer's house and barns were on higher ground on his side.

"Standing by the house that afternoon, and happening to look down over the wet meadows, the farmer saw something struggling over the bogs, sometimes on top of one, sometimes falling down between, but keeping coming all the time. It was the little pig that he had sold in the morning. It had got out of the pen in which it had been placed in the village, and had somehow got started in the right direction and got clear of the village, had come down the slope on the other side of the brook and had crossed the brook and floundered through the bogs and was now making straight for home. It was wet through and covered with mud, but it got there all right.

"This little pig had never been out of its pen before, and how it found its way back I never could understand."—New York Sun.

Towers For Electric Lights.

When arc lights were first introduced for street lighting, there was a very exaggerated idea of their lighting power. A light of 1,000 candle power seemed such a powerful illuminator that the idea was very naturally conceived of placing lamps on the top of tall towers and lighting the whole area of a city. Several municipalities adopted this tower system of lighting, of which the best known example is doubtless Detroit. It was at once found, however, that a cluster of arc lamps 150 feet or more from the ground might be an excellent plan for lighting the whole of a large area, but was a very poor plan for lighting city streets. In the average American city, with long blocks, the streets comprise not more than one-third of the area. Hence with the tower system of lighting 66 per cent or more of the illuminating power is wasted in lighting up house roofs, back yards and vacant lots.

Nearly every city of which we have information that originally adopted the tower system of lighting has abandoned it. It is therefore quite surprising to learn that Des Moines proposes to put in a municipal street lighting plant and to use the tower system. What consideration influenced the city authorities to adopt this system we do not know, but we would strongly urge them to investigate the experience of Detroit and other cities with the tower system of lighting before they construct such a plant in their own city.—Engineering News.

A Septuagenarian Student.

At Warsaw a student has just graduated at the ripe age of 75. After passing his matriculation many years ago lack of funds prevented him from at once proceeding to the university, and he was compelled to work as a tutor for 20 years in order to save enough money to enable him to continue his studies. At the end of that time he presented himself at the Warsaw Medical academy and passed the entrance examination with distinction. Before he could begin his studies the Polish rebellion of 1863 broke out, and Borysik, who was now 41 years of age, threw himself into the movement with all the enthusiasm of a youthful revolutionist. The revolt was suppressed, and Borysik was exiled to Siberia, where for 32 years he underwent hard labor in the silver mines. In 1895 he received a free pardon and returned to Warsaw. In spite of his age and the hardships he had endured Borysik lost none of his enthusiasm for medical work, and took up his studies where he had left them off in 1863. After a two years' course this remarkable man has now, at the age of 75, passed the final medical examination with honors and will begin to practice in Warsaw. —London Daily Mail.

The Duke of Leeds.

The Duke of Leeds, who, it is said, will succeed Lord Aberdeen as governor general of Canada in June, is 34 years old and has been in parliament as a member for Lambeth. In 1884 he married Lady Katherine Frances Lambeth, a daughter of the second earl of Durham, and they have four pretty little girls. The duke, when he was in parliament as the Marquis of Carmarthen, was the youngest member in the commons and the youngest looking until he grew a beard. It is told of him that on the day of his election some one asked him, "Say, boy, does your mother know you're out?" "Yes," promptly replied the youthful politician, "and when the votes are counted tonight she will know I am in." The family of the duke—the Osborne—is one of the oldest and most aristocratic in all the peerage.

Southern Talent.

Southern talent is making itself felt everywhere in this country. Woodrow Wilson, a native of Augusta, Ga., and comparatively a young man, is professor of jurisprudence at Princeton university and has already achieved not only national but European reputation. Professor Blewett Lee, who, it is said, has declined a professorship at Harvard, with a salary of $7,000 a year, because he prefers to remain in Chicago, where he can prosecute his legal business and at the same time retain his connection with the University Law school, is a son of General Stephen D. Lee, president of the Mississippi Agricultural and Mechanical college.—Montgomery Advertiser.

BREVITIES

PERSONALITIES.

In modern newspaper slang Herr Moritz Busch was Prince Bismarck's press agent.

J. W. Arnold of Providence, now in his eighty-sixth year and weighing 196 pounds, rides a bicycle.

Mr. Gladstone is now as hard at work on his "Olympian Religions" as if the destiny of empires depended on it.

Field Marshal Yamagata of Japan is to be present at the anniversary exercises of Queen Victoria during the coming summer.

Ex-Mayor William R. Grace of New York and his wife and son Joseph have jointly set aside $200,000 to establish a training school for girls.

Fred C. Squire of Michigan, who has been appointed private secretary to Secretary Alger, has been the clerk of the house committee on private land claims.

Mrs. Crays has been elected president of the school board of Minneapolis. Mrs. Crays has been a member of the board four years and has served so acceptably that she has been made president.

Ricciotti Garibaldi, who, according to recent reports from Rome, has organized three regiments of volunteers for service in the Greek army in Crete, is the eldest son of the Italian patriot, Giuseppi Garibaldi.

Canon Scott-Robertson of Canterbury, whose death was announced the other day, knew the history of Canterbury cathedral better than any one else in Great Britain and was never so happy as when conducting visitors through it.

As a contributor to the revived controversy over the authorship of the song "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground" a correspondent of the Boston Transcript claims the honor for Mr. Kittredge, who is now living in Reeds Ferry, N. H.

Swante Palma, the Swedish vice consul at Austin, has presented to the University of Texas 25,000 books, valued at $100,000. The collection, which he spent 30 years in gathering, includes valuable books on history, biography and art.

There is absolutely not a single office at the disposal of Secretary of War Alger, even his private secretary being subject to civil service rules governing appointments. But notwithstanding this nearly 3,000 applications for office have been filed with him.

William T. Ellis, who has been an associate editor of The Golden Rule, of Boston, for two years, has become an assistant editor of the periodicals of the Presbyterian board of publication in Philadelphia, the editor of which is the Rev. Dr. J. R. Miller.

William Philip Schreiner, the attorney general of Cape Colony, is a brother of Olive Schreiner. After being graduated from the Cape university he went to Downing college, Cambridge university, England, whence he was graduated. He returned to Cape Colony in 1882, where he has come to be one of the most influential men in public life.

STAGE GLINTS.

Augustin Daly has engaged Ione Chamberlain for his stock company.

Henry Guy Carleton is at work upon a new romantic drama for James O'Neill.

Herbert Millward is playing the part originated by Odell Williams in "The Heart of Maryland."

Little Irene Myers will be starred next season in an Elizabethan drama, entitled "The Waif of Sefton."

W. A. Whitecar and Laura Almosnino have commenced a spring and summer season in the great northwest.

Harry Paulton, the London comedian, is to try his luck in Australia, where he is going for a 52 weeks' engagement.

Leopold Jordan has signed the rights of his operatic comedy, "Jolly Matilda," to William L. Malley for production this spring.

Joel Marks has bought of Lillian Lewis and Lawrence Marston the comedy "Hetty, Sam and Others" for New York production next month.

Ada Gray will sail for Europe next month with Charles Tingay to open at Birmingham in a new play for a 24 weeks' tour of the English provinces.

J. M. Gaites will produce next season a new farce comedy called "A Cash Boy." He is also at work upon a melodrama called "A Government Claim."

Theodore Babcock, Charles Mackay, Edward D. Tyler and Margaret Gordon have been added to the Smyth and Rice comedians for the New York run of "The Man From Mexico."

LIGHTER FADS.

The mania of the moment is for Russian enamel.

Loving cups are sold for cut flowers, the three handled ones, in glass, being especially popular.

The advanced fashions for summer indicate that jeweled belts and buckles will be more popular than ever.

Jardinieres and vases make a brave show these days, being represented in artistic glassware, choice faience and in gilt and silver.

Handkerchief bags made of silk brocade and finished with gilt tops studded with mock jewels are effective and comparatively reasonable in price.

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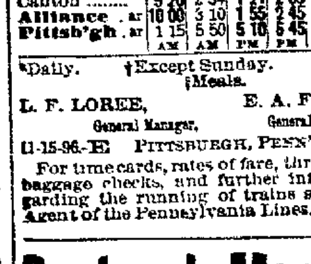

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ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been or Are Going.

H. F. Vortkamp is in Cincinnati to-day.

Judge Donnelly, of Napoleon, is in the city.

Ed Heiner went to Morenci, Mich., yesterday.

Doctor Matteson returned yesterday from the East.

Chas. F. Price went to Sidney and Piqua this afternoon.

Mrs. W. A. Bloom, of Wapakoneta, was the guest of Mrs. W. J. Downard, to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. James Slyer, of Findlay, have removed to Lima and taken rooms in the Bell block.

Misses Rose Mack and Edna Kline will leave to-morrow morning, for a short visit in Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. William Thomas, of North Clarendon, Pa., is visiting Mrs. C. P. Oliver, of west High street.

Miss Charlotte A. Buss, of Cleveland, is the guest of Miss Lillian Kline, of 300 west Wayne street.

D. S. Fields, of Chattanooga, Tenn., is visiting with his sister, Mrs. J. W. Brown, of north Jefferson street.

Mrs. Richard F. Whalen, of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Dutton, of north McDonel street.

Messrs. Roy McGuire, Clem Bower, Rollo Berry and Willie Friedly, will leave soon for a trip to the Lewistown reservoir.

Mrs. John Wolfe, of Findlay, yesterday returned home, after visiting her husband in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe will soon make their home in this city.

Wood Adjustable

Handle bars $1.50 each.

LIMA CYCLE SUPPLY CO.,
2 2t 217 So. Main St.

GOING UP.

Eastern Oil Advances Three Cents—Lima and Indiana Oil One Cent.

The oil quotations received by the Buckeye this afternoon, state that Lima and Indiana oil had advanced one cent and that Eastern oil had advanced three cents.

OIL MARKET.

Pennsylvania	.86
North Lima	.51
South Lima	.46
Indiana	.46

Indiana oil operators fear that the Madison county discovery will have a most disastrous effect upon the market. The Standard is holding it down now to the forty-six cent and forty-seven-cent mark under the plea that there is an overproduction. It is feared that if the new field is opened up it will run the price of Indiana oil down to 30 cents. When it goes below 40 cents all operators except those who have large wells will be compelled to close down. There is every indication that the new field will extend from this city to Marion. It is thought that the field runs from northeast to southwest, following Pipe creek.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

John Carrig, of west High street, is in a critical condition, suffering from rheumatism.

Mrs. Wm. Welsh, of south Main street, who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks, is much improved.

The funeral services of the two-year old son of Martin Nelson were held from the residence of Nelson Nelson, on west High street, at 9 o'clock this morning, and the remains were interred in Woodlawn cemetery.

A stranger giving his name as James Quigley was arrested and locked up at the police station last night by detective Reeves, of the P., Ft. W. & C. The prisoner is thought to be a crook, and his face was photographed this morning by detective Wiles, of the C., H. & D.

STOVES, DISHES, and all kinds of housekeeping supplies at special prices at F. E. Harman's Great Special Sale.

Ladies' Suits.

Ladies' tailor-made suits at $3.75, reduced from $5. All suits have been marked down.

1t CARROLL & COONEY.

FANCY CHAIRS and Rockers, all the newest styles, at unheard of prices at F. E. Harman's Great Special Sale.

GREATLY ENJOYED

Was the Trip to Adrian Yesterday by Lima Citizens.

ROYALLY ENTERTAINED

By Walter B. Richie and General Manager Roser—All Expressed Surprise at the Excellent Condition of the New Road.

The party that accompanied the special train to Adrian yesterday afternoon, had a delightful excursion and feel grateful to Walter B. Richie and general manager Roser for the delightful manner in which they were entertained.

The train left Lima at 1:10 p. m. and made a rapid run through to Napoleon, where the train was delayed for some time on account of an accident that happened to the north bound passenger train at Hamler. As the train was coming to a halt at that place, an axle in the front trucks broke. Fortunately the train was moving slowly and no damage was done. The coaches were attached to the special train and taken through to Adrian.

When the train had crossed the state line the county auditors gathered together in one end of the car and assessed the main line of the road at $2,000 per mile, the sidings at $580 and the rolling stock at $200 per mile.

Between some of the stations a speed was attained which surprised most members of the party, who had no idea that the road bed was in such an excellent condition.

On arriving at Adrian the party boarded a street car, and was taken up town. The time until supper was spent in viewing the city. The location of the new depot, in the heart of the city, was visited.

After supper the gentlemen enjoyed themselves in various ways until 8 o'clock, when the train was boarded for the trip home.

Considerable amusement was afforded by Mr. Melville, who had the entire party searching the train for his overcoat. It was discovered later that when he left the hotel he picked up a sack coat of an Adrian butcher instead of his overcoat. The coat, however, was sufficiently large to cover the Dr., who reluctantly put it on over his other coat, requesting the party to kindly not say anything about it to his friends in Lima.

DON'T FORGET that you can get the greatest bargains in furniture in Lima at F. E Harman's.

LIKE SNOWBALL'S

Are Kemper's Chances of Unseating Mr. Warner.

HEARING OF THE CONTEST

Commenced Before the Special Committee of City Councilmen this Morning, and Was Yet Unfinished This Afternoon.

The Fifth ward election contest, instituted by Wes. Kemper, who was a candidate for member of the city council from that ward at the municipal election held in this city a month ago, and who is making an effort to have unseated Mr. Warner, who was the Democratic candidate from the ward mentioned, and who was, according to the election returns, legally elected, was commenced before the special committee appointed by the city council, in the council chamber at 9 o'clock this morning, and at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon was still in progress. The protested ballots were examined by the committee, and from an impartial view of the case as it now appears, Mr. Kemper's chances can be no better now than they would have been had the contest never been commenced.

Messrs. Robbins, Koch, Stephens, Hughes and Chapin, who constituted the special committee appointed by president McVey, of the city council, occupied five chairs on one side of the council chamber, and the contestants, their attorneys and a stenographer occupied seats at one of the reporters' tables. Attorney I. S. Motter was present in behalf of Mr. Warner, and attorneys J. W. Halfhill and I. R. Longsworth were present to conduct Mr. Kemper's case. Mr. Stephens, chairman of the special committee, presided.

Attorney Halfhill requested that the witnesses who were subpoenaed be sworn before giving their testimony. Chairman Stephens called the witnesses into the council chamber and they were sworn, the stenographer, Walter Scott, who is a notary public, administering the oath.

Before any testimony was taken Mr. Halfhill made a few preliminary remarks, stating that there were some disputed ballots returned from the Fifth ward after the recent municipal election, and that he expected to show that those ballots should have been counted for Mr. Kemper.

Justice Mowen, who is clerk of the local board of deputy supervisors of election, was the first witness called.

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LIFE A BURDEN

To a Young Woman Living a Life of Dissipation.

REJECTED BY HER LOVER,

She Takes a Large Dose of Morphine and Lies Down to Sleep Until Dead—Physicians Were Unable to Arouse Her.

Maggie Clair, an inmate of the Boop house, at the corner of North and Tanner streets, rejected by her lover, and tired of living in shame and disgrace, determined to end her existence last night and sought death by taking a drug that produced sleep from which she will never awake. The young girl, whose age is supposed to be from seventeen to eighteen years, came to this city about two and a half months ago to live at the place where she died this morning. Yesterday she did not appear to be in a melancholy mood. She was down stairs in the evening until ten minutes of ten, when she went to her room up stairs. About half an hour afterwards, some of the other inmates of the house hearing some one moaning in her room, went to investigate the cause of the noise. One door was found locked. The other door was closed, with a heavy trunk resting against it. The door was pushed open, when to their surprise they saw their unfortunate companion lying on her bed breathing heavily. A little red envelope, with the deadly skull and cross-bones marked on it, revealed to them the cause of the girl's condition. She was unconscious and could not be aroused. Two physicians were summoned and did all that medical skill could do to resuscitate her, but the poison had too strong a grip on her life. She had eaten a hearty supper, and this was a hindrance in pumping the poison from her stomach. Her body was large and her physical condition strong. Life lingered long before yielding to death, but the poison was too strong and at 5:30 o'clock this morning she was pronounced dead.

It appears that the girl had engaged in a quarrel with her lover, and that she preferred death to disappointment. Before lying down to sleep she wrote a letter to her sister at Spencerville, stating that she and her lover had quarreled and that her mother desired her to return home, but this she stated she would never do.

The girl's mother and step-father live at Rose Elm, Paulding county. They were telegraphed this morning, but as yet no word has been received from them as to what disposition should be made of the body.

The girl came here from Mansfield and was intending to go to Celina this afternoon. The morphine was purchased by a 13-year-old boy by the name of Barber.

AYER'S Sarsaparilla

Is the original Sarsaparilla, the standard of the world. Others have imitated the remedy. They can't imitate the record.

50 Years of Cures

IN THE MUD

The Remains of Herman Lange Were Found Near Hazelton, Ind.

Lange Was Killed in the Hazelton Wreck Several Weeks Ago—Was Formerly of this City.

The remains of Herman Lange, a former Lima man, have been found, after being missing for nearly two months.

Lange was killed in the disastrous railroad wreck which occurred at a river bridge near Hazelton, Ind., seven weeks ago when the heavy storms and high waters prevailed in all parts of the country. Lange was traveling and was known to be a passenger on the ill-fated train that went through the bridge, but he was not seen again alive and his body could not be found with those of the other unfortunates. He had been married only a short time and his life was insured for $13,000, but Mrs. Lange, who lives at Ft. Wayne, could not collect the insurance money because she could not produce the body of her husband and prove that he was dead.

A day or so ago some men who were passing along the stream near the scene of the wreck, saw a man's arm protruding from the mud at the edge of the water. They made an investigation and unearthed the remains of a man which were since identified as the remains of Lange, and were taken to Ft. Wayne and interred.

Mr. Lange was formerly employed as a salesman in M. O'Brien's shoe store in this city, and after leaving here he became a traveling salesman and frequently visited the city.

One crayon free. Come at once. tf Van DeGrift.

More Fuel for the Bargain Furnace.

Having secured from a large manufacturer their entire sample line of Ladies' Tailor-made Suits, Skirts, Capes, Jackets and Waists, we will inaugurate to-day a Special Sale of Suits, Skirts, Waists, Capes and Jackets. There will be several hundred garments to select from, all this season's latest fabrics. And the prices at which the goods will be sold will make this department of our store famous throughout the season.

The Metellus Thomson Dry Goods Co.,

STORES 233-235 NORTH MAIN ST., LIMA, O.

The styles of suits presented during this sale represent the best thoughts of a prominent maker. A large assortment of textures, dainty arrangement of trimmings, variety of colorings and great reduction of prices which will make this sale of women's Tailor-made Suits one of the most noteworthy ever held.

Tailored Dress Skirts.

Black and white checked Dress Skirts for $1.25.

All wool blue and black cloth Skirts for $1.50.

Beautiful Plaid Novelties in Dress Skirts, well lined, nicely made for $2.68.

Wool Checked Skirts in Black and colors, newest styles, well lined, nicely made, for $3.50.

Black Brocaded Skirts. Prices $1.40, $2.25, $2.75 and $3.

Black Satin Skirts for $10, worth $15.

Black Brocaded Silk Skirts for $4.50, $5.00 and $7.00, worth $7.00, $8.00 and $10.00.

Black Brocaded Satin Skirts at actual cost to manufacture. Prices less than material will cost.

STYLISH CAPES.

To be sold at a great sacrifice. Every cape in the store offered at a big reduction. Any lady desirous of buying a spring wrap can save from 25 to 33⅓ per cent. by attending this sale.

Ladies' Jaunty Black Silk Capes, lined throughout with changeable silk, nicely trimmed with jet and ribbons, price $2.25.

Velvet Capes, in black and colors, finely embroidered, silk lined, stylish neck effects, up to date in every respect. The price of this pretty garment will be $2.68.

Silk Capes, finest grade black brocaded silk, lined with hangeable lining, trimmed neatly, stylish neck effects. Price or bargain Friday and Saturday, May 7th and 8th, $3.75.

Black Silk Grenadine Capes, nicely lined, with colored linings, worth $6.00. This sale price $3.50.

Women's Cloth Capes for $1.25.

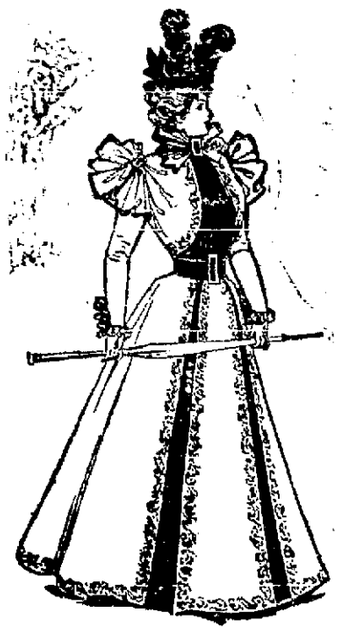
One lot Women's Fine Cloth Capes, all new shades, Heliotrope, Delft Blue, Tan and Black, finely embroidered, usual retail price $5.00 and $6.00. This sale price will be $3.50.

SPRING JACKETS.

New light tans, and Jackets in other spring shades. Many exquisite modes and materials, all properly tailored. Rare chance to pick a spring coat.

$5.00 Jackets for $3.75.
All $7.50 Jackets for $5.00.
All $10.00 Jackets for $7.50.
$15.00 Jackets for $10.00,
$25.00 Jackets for $17.00.

The single objection that most ladies find with a new spring wrap is the price. The prices that will predominate during this sale will remove that objection.



WALKING COSTUME.

WOMEN'S SILK WAISTS.

Made of good material, accurate designs, will be placed on sale at prices that will be the exact wholesale price of the manufacture. We offer the opportunity of purchasing a Suit, Skirt, Cape, Waist or Jacket during this sale at a saving of from one-fourth to one-third of the retail price

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